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INTERPORT CRICKET SENSATIONS.

HONGKONG COMPLETELY TURN THE TABLES.

SHANGHAI COLLAPSE IN THEIR SECOND INNINGS.

LOSE SIX MEN FOR 51.

Hongkong, fighting with their backs to the wall yesterday, completely reversed the position in the course of two hours cricket this morning. A splendid partnership between Bowker and Wyatt for the last wicket put on 52 runs, enabling Hongkong to record the highest score of the series.

Shanghai were set the difficult task of making 204 runs to win. They collapsed sensationally, six wickets falling for 51 runs, no player except Leach, who is not out, reaching double figures.

This afternoon, therefore, Shanghai face a next to impossible problem, that of scoring 153 runs with four wickets in hand.

Hongkong's bowling was good, but hardly dominating enough to warrant such an unexpected success. Several players were out to very poor strokes, while Owen Hughes brought off a brilliant catch to dismiss Howard in the last over before the tiffin interval, at which stage Bowker had taken 2 wickets for 6 runs, and Brace 2 wickets for 7.

Hongkong's innings of 272 took exactly four hours to make. This morning 62 runs were added in five minutes under an hour.

HONGKONG'S TAIL WAGS.

Donald Leach led his team into the field in bright sunshine. Dr. O'Hara was back again after being absent during the critical period of yesterday afternoon's play, while Orr had his arm bandaged—a memento of his missing of Anderson?

The wicket seemed to have borne up well and looked like playing easy for two or three hours at least.

Leach opened at the Supremacy Court and Anderson got him away past slip for a single. Wilson brought about his dismissal with the second ball of his first over. The ball came in from leg and Anderson played right outside it, his off stump being dislodged, 211—3—35.

This was a misfortune, as it was chiefly upon Anderson that Hongkong depended for the runs necessary for comfort. He batted soundly after a very shaky start, hitting four fours in a stylish display.

Reid Out Also.

Reid, the newcomer, soon got Wilson away, hitting out and netting a four. He paid the penalty for rashness, however, slashing at a ball from Leach which broke in and took his off stump, 220—4—4.

A second before, he had nearly been run out; indeed it was amazing how Barnes failed to get him. Wyatt called Reid to a short run. The ball was thrown in before Reid was half-way up the crease, but Barnes allowed it to strike his pads and bounce away.

Bowker, who joined Col. Wyatt, who got Wilson away with a nice shot through the covers and with the assistance of a couple of boundary ones 230 appeared on the board after 15 minutes.

Good Hitting.

Bowker and Wyatt began to hit at everything and they netted four runs off an over from Wilson and four off Leach.

Bowker sent up 240 with a hit off a no-ball by Leach, thirty having been added this morning after 20 minutes' play. Leach was bowling well without deriving much assistance from the pitch, while Wilson was getting down some dangerous ones.

Some smart running between the wicket kept the rate of scoring up, and Bowker reached ten after batting seventeen minutes, Wyatt then being 17.

A two shot by Bowker over the head of Wilson put 250 on the board when the innings had been in progress for 225 minutes. Forty had been added in half an hour.

Bowker's Fine Form.

Bowker was in great form. He took an occasional risk, but he re-

served his hitting for loose balls and he usually played into safe country. He hit Leach to the pavilion boundary with a splendid drive.

Wyatt essayed a straight drive at Leach and turned him to leg, thus reaching his twenty. He had batted an hour altogether, but had made 15 runs in 35 minutes this morning.

The last wicket partnership was delighting the Hongkong crowd which was a remarkably large one for the morning. Bowker glided through the slips, scoring his 20 and putting 260 up. Fifty in 40 minutes to-day.

A boundary by Leach and Wyatt brought the score to 272, Hongkong thus having a lead of 203 runs and having, incidentally, made the biggest score of the present Inter-port series.

All Out.

In Stokes's next over, however, the magnificent fighting innings came to a close, Bowker sending up an easy catch to O'Hara at mid-on.

Bowker had batted 35 minutes for 22 runs, hitting two fours. Wyatt was not out 24, having given a much improved display to-day.

The last wicket put on 52 runs, a splendid achievement—in 35 minutes, a number of extras being of assistance.

Shanghai's Task.

Shanghai went in at 11.35 with the heavy task of scoring 204 runs in the fourth innings to win.

Stokes and Simpson opened to the bowling of Bowker and Wyatt, the former at the Naval Yard end.

Bowker's first over produced one run, a wide, and Simpson drove Wyatt's fifth ball for a single.

Stokes opened his account with a single to the off, picking out a loose ball from Bowker, who at first bowling well to the off was putting them more to the leg side.

Two Men out.

Simpson cut Wyatt through the slips, but in trying to play the same bowler a moment later he stumbled into a straight one and was given out lb.w.

The score was eleven and he had made six, the first wicket falling after twelve minutes' play.

Marshall played out the over without scoring and Bowker put down a maiden to Stokes.

Marshall scored a single off Wyatt, but he was clean bowled by the first ball he received from Bowker, the ball coming in sharply from the off and taking his leg stumps. In the meantime, Stokes had made a four off Wyatt, the score therefore being 16.

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ALARMING TRAIN OUTRAGE.

ATTEMPT ON GENERAL CHAN MING-SHU.

EXPLOSION ON THE CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY.

FORTUNATE ESCAPE.

Canton, Nov. 11.

Much damage was done to the Canton-Hankow Railway near the Shuiwan Station, several yards of the track being torn up, when a desperate attempt was made by Communist bandits and sympathisers of the "Ironsides" to wreck the train conveying General Chan Ming-shu, the Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government.

The news of the outrage caused great excitement here, and once again it seems that Canton is facing a military crisis in consequence of the activities of Communist bandits in the North River district.

Early last week, the news was received that the "Ironsides" were playing for time with the Kwangtung leaders, their real aim being to invade Kwangtung from Lienshan and Yangshun.

As a precaution, the Canton Government dispatched two Divisions of about 10,000 strong under the joint command of Generals Tao Yuen and Yu Hon-mow to the North River.

Alarming News.

During the week-end further alarming news of the precarious situation caused by a Communist uprising in Northern Kwangtung reached the Provincial Government leaders, and in order to ensure that everything possible should be done to check the "Red" advance in this sector of Kwangtung, General Chan Ming-shu proposed a military conference at Shuiwan. The meeting was to be devoted principally to discussions on the defence and fortification of Northern Kwangtung.

Consequently early on Saturday morning, almost completely unknown to the populace, General Chan Ming-shu, Li Yung-king, head of the 63rd Canton Division; Tang Yin-wah, Commissioner of Reconstruction of the Kwangtung Provincial Government; and Au Yung-kui, Chief of Canton Police Force, arrived at the Wong Shu Station and quietly boarded a special train for Shuiwan.

The train arrived at Shuiwan at two o'clock in the afternoon. General Tan Yuen, commanding the 50th Division, was among other Canton officers at Shuiwan station to welcome the distinguished party.

The Military Conclave.

General Chan Ming-shu spent the whole evening and part of Sunday morning at Shuiwan discussing plans to check the "Ironsides" advance, but he was able to visit some of the historic temples and mountain resorts.

General Chan and other members of his party left Shuiwan on Sunday morning, arriving at Canton at 8.15 on Sunday evening.

The party travelled by special train and on their way back nothing untoward occurred.

How Attempt Failed.

Later on Sunday evening, however, the management of the Canton-Hankow Railway received a brief cablegram from Woo Shek Station to the effect that on Sunday afternoon, exactly half an hour after the passing through the station of the special train conveying General Chan Ming-shu and party, an explosion occurred there, completely wrecking several yards of the double railway track.

The cable added that it was considered most fortunate that General Chan Ming-shu's special train got through earlier, otherwise the Governor might have been killed.

As to the failure of the attempt, it is possible that the Communists wrongly calculated the time.

Train Suspended.

When the news was received at Shuiwan Station, the management

DEATH OF INDIAN WATCHMAN.

"KID" MARRIOTT CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER.

ACCIDENT SEQUEL.

Despite every attention by the staff at the Government Civil Hospital, Jager Singh, the Indian watchman who was accidentally shot in the abdomen by a member of the Kowloon Dock staff on Sunday afternoon, succumbed to his injuries at 8 o'clock last night.

When the patient was admitted to the hospital it was evident that his wounds were very serious, and early yesterday morning it was recognised that the only hope of a recovery lay in an instant operation. This was carried out, but it proved of no avail.

A sequel to the incident was the appearance of Mr. Henry ("Kid") Marriott (51), of the Kowloon

THE SCORE BOARD.

Hongkong Win Brilliantly by 82 Runs.

SHANGHAI'S COLLAPSE.

Hongkong defeated Shanghai in the Interport by 82 runs, the final scores being:

Hongkong.—1st Innings . 114
Second Innings .

W. Brace, c. Wilson, b. Leach . . . 25
E. C. Fincher, b. Leach . . . 4
J. E. Richardson, b. Wilson . . . 2
H. Owen Hughes, c. Barnes, b. Leach . . . 61
T. E. Pearce, b. Wilson . . . 39
H. R. B. Hancock, c. Barnes, b. Wilson . . . 19
Lt. A. H. Musson, c. Marshall, b. Leach . . . 19
D. J. N. Anderson, b. Wilson . . . 35
Lt. Col. Wyatt not out . . . 24
A. Reid, b. Leach . . . 4
A. C. I. Bowker, c. O'Hara, b. Stokes . . . 22
Extras . . . 27
Total . . . 272

Bowling Analysis.

Wilson . . . 35 4 101 4
O'Hara . . . 9 0 31 0
Leach . . . 25 5 72 5
Stokes . . . 8 2 25 1
Rawsthorne 10 3 16 0
Bowled three no-balls.

Shanghai.—1st Innings . 183

Second Innings .

L. F. Stokes, c. Brace, b. Bowker . . . 9
O. G. Simpson, lbw, b. Wyatt . . . 6
F. E. T. Marshall, b. Bowker . . . 1
P. Madar, b. Brace . . . 6
D. W. Leach, c. Pearce, b. Reid . . . 22
W. E. O'Hara, c. Wyatt, b. Reid . . . 8
C. W. Howard, c. Owen Hughes, b. Brace . . . 2
H. E. Orr, b. Reid . . . 17
T. L. Rawsthorne, c. and b. Reid . . . 2
T. W. R. Wilson, not out . . . 23
E. G. Barnes, c. Richardson, b. Owen Hughes . . . 10
Extras . . . 15
Total . . . 121

O M R W

Bowker . . . 10 3 21 2
Wyatt . . . 7 1 17 1
Reid . . . 11 2 40 4
Brace . . . 13 3 26 2
Owen Hughes . . . 5 0 2 1

Docks, before Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, on a charge of manslaughter.

Mr. Marriott appeared in Court in uniform and was accompanied by Mr. E. Cock, Assistant Manager of the Kowloon Docks.

Detective Inspector Fallon, in making an application for a remand for one week, intimated that he had received instructions to ask his Worship to grant a bail under a guarantee of \$500 bond signed by Mr. Cock.

In adjourning the case formally for one week, his Worship accepted the guarantee of \$500 by Mr. Cock for the defendant's appearance.

BRITAIN & C.E.R. DISPUTE.

NO INTERVENTION FOR THE PRESENT.

WHY A CONSUL TO MONGOLIA CAN'T BE APPOINTED.

CHINKIANG RENDITION.

London, Nov. 11.

In the House of Commons, in reply to questions, Mr. Arthur Henderson, the Foreign Secretary, said the Sino-Soviet dispute regarding the Chinese Eastern Railway was still in a state of deadlock.

The Chinese Foreign Minister, said Mr. Henderson, had informed the British representative in Nanking that China does not intend to appeal to the League of Nations until the Soviet has declared war or has seriously invaded Chinese territory.

Mr. Henderson said he was aware of the disturbance to commerce caused by the interruption of traffic on the Chinese Eastern Railway, but he did not consider that British intervention was advisable at present.

No Consul for Mongolia.

Answering further questions in regard to Far Eastern affairs, Mr. Henderson said the appointment of a British Consul at Urga was a practical impossibility, as China had no authority or influence over the Government of Outer Mongolia.

Mr. Henderson added that it would not be possible to send a British Consul to Urga, even supposing the Mongolian Government consented to receive him, as this would be tantamount to recognition of the independence of Mongolia.—*Reuter.*

Rendition of Chinkiang.

Shanghai, Nov. 11.

The correspondence between Sir Miles Lampson and the Foreign Minister, Dr. C. T. Wang, covering the rendition of the British Consulate at Chinkiang, has been issued to-day.

The rendition takes effect on November 15, the British municipal administration being dissolved and the British municipal regulations repealed on that date. Chinese deeds of perpetual lease will be given in exchange for the title deeds issued by His Majesty's Government, and British firms will retain the right of conveying goods across the bund to the river, from their godowns, and vice versa.

Pending the National Government's promulgation of a new law governing land taxation throughout China, the rate of the annual land tax to be paid by the ex-holders of British Crown leases will remain unchanged.

The Agreement was embodied in an exchange of Notes which took place at Nanking on October 31st. In acknowledging the rendition, Dr. Wang expresses the sincere appreciation of the National Government for this friendly action on the part of the British Government.—*Reuter.*

INDIAN SEDITIONIST APPEALS.

SENTENCE REDUCED TO THE TERM SERVED.

Lahore, Nov. 11.

The Appeal Judge has upheld the conviction of Dr. Satyapal, who was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and a fine of Rs.500 in July for making a seditious speech in March.

The Court, however, reduced the sentence to the term already served.—*Reuter.*

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

UNITED STATES STEELS OPEN HIGHER.

New York, Nov. 11.

The Stock Market opened much easier this morning, and United States Steels were quoted at 169 1/2, a distinct improvement, though the shares have a very long way to go to reach anything approaching their former high valuation.—*Reuter's American Service.*

LOCAL BUSINESS TRANSFER.

WELL-KNOWN GUNSMITH FIRM CHANGING HANDS.

AFTER SIXTY YEARS.

With completion within the next few days of the transfer of the Hongkong Sporting Arms and Ammunition Company, of Beaconsfield Arcade, to Mr. Wong Kow, a business that has been in one family for nearly 60 years will pass into other hands.

The retiring owner, Mrs. R. B. Branch, is well known in the Colony, having been connected actively with the business for 25 years, during the greater part of which she has handled the store herself. Mrs. Branch is disposing of the business to Mr. Wong Kow, in order to take a vacation, for the benefit of her children. She will not, however, leave the Colony yet awhile, she told a *Telegraph* representative this morning.

Mr. William Smith, Mrs. Branch's father, founded the business well over 60 years ago, according to his daughter. At first, the firm went under the name of William Smith and Company, but later changed to its present title. Mr. Smith, during his lifetime had the able assistance of his wife and daughter, now Mrs. Branch, and after his death they carried on the business.

After her mother's death, Mrs. Branch still continued in business, and developed it to its present position as the best known and most reputable firm of gunsmiths in the Colony.

The new owners had already taken control when a *Telegraph* representative visited the shop this morning. Signs of considerable alteration were noticeable about the premises, and enquiries elicited that Mr. Wong Kow plans to enlarge the main showroom by knocking down certain partitions, and removing most of his cartridge stock to the rear. In addition, the shop will be redecorated, at a considerable cost to the new owner.

Although, of course, no statement was made as to the actual price paid for the transfer was a considerable one.

INDIA AIR MAIL SERVICE.

EXTENSION TO RANGOON TO BE CONSIDERED.

London, Nov. 11.

In the House of Commons to-day, the Secretary for India, Mr. Wedgwood Benn, was asked about the extension of the Indian air mail service to Calcutta and Rangoon.

Mr. Wedgwood Benn replied that negotiations were at present being carried on for an extension of the service from Karachi to Delhi and subsequently to Calcutta. When experience had been gained of the working of the Karachi-Calcutta section, an extension of the service to Rangoon would be considered.—*British Wireless.*

BRITISH TENNIS RANKINGS.

AUSTIN AND GREGORY JOINT NUMBER ONES.

London, Nov. 11.

The first national ranking of tennis players made by the English Lawn Tennis Association places H. W. Austin and Dr. J. C. Gregory joint Number Ones, I. Hughes and C. H. Kingsley as joint No. Threes.

Mrs. Watson is the first ranking woman player, Miss Betty Nuthall and Miss Ellen Bennett ranking equally in the second place.—*Reuter.*

U.S. ATTITUDE ON EXTRALITY.

WILL DISCUSS GRADUAL RELINQUISHMENT.

Washington, Nov. 11.

In reply to the Note by Dr. C. T. Wang, the Chinese Foreign Minister, requesting an immediate Sino-American discussion on extraterritoriality, the United States Government has sent a Note repeating its willingness to open negotiations for the gradual relinquishment of extraterritorial rights.—*Reuter's American Service.*

ARMISTICE DAY IN AMERICA.

PRESIDENT HOOVER'S ADDRESS.

IMPORTANT STATEMENT ON NAVAL MATTERS.

FREEDOM OF THE SEAS.

Washington, Nov. 11.

In an eloquent address at the Armistice Day ceremonies of the American Legion, President Hoover made an important reference to the problem of the freedom of the seas in wartime. His comments were markedly similar to those made by Mr. Ramsay MacDonald at the Guildhall, London, on Saturday night, and their attitude seems obviously the result of their recent conversations.

President Hoover agrees that while there is no war the question cannot arise, and he makes it an ideal of America to strive towards the establishment of a lasting peace.

The President, in opening, said that the American nation would discharge its obligations to the dead, including the redemption of the promise that their sacrifices would help to bring peace to the world.

The machinery for the Pacific settlement of international disputes was still inadequate. The U.S. State Department must first, he said, be strengthened as the great arm of the Government dedicated to the organisation of peace.

America's treaties with other countries must be further extended, providing for methods of conference.

"We need," he went on, "under proper reservations, the support of the Hague Court of International Justice in order to secure judicial termination of certain types of controversies and to build up precedents in international law."

"Furthermore, with a view to the preservation of peace among other nations, there must be further development of methods for reference of unsettled controversies to a joint inquiry by the parties, assisted by friendly nations."

Causes of Frictions.

"Another great task," said President Hoover, "is the removal of the deeper causes of frictions, leading to disputes. One of these is competition in armaments."

"It was first and foremost to rid ourselves of this danger that I initiated the naval negotiations with Great Britain, and I have full confidence of the success of the five-power naval conference to be held in London next January."

"We must reduce and limit warships by agreement only. I have no faith in the reduction of armaments by example alone."

"We (the United States) will reduce our naval strength in proportion to any other. It only remains for the others to say how low they will go. It cannot be too low for us."

Age-Old Controversy.

"Another age-old controversy is the so-called 'freedom of the seas.' In other words, this involves the rights of private citizens to trade in time of war."

"If the world succeeds in establishing peaceful methods of settling controversies, the whole question of trading rights in war time becomes purely academic. I offer for the world's consideration, however, not as a Governmental proposition, an idea which might break through the involved legal questions, namely, that all foodstuffs be placed on the same footing as hospital ships in wartime."

Saving Non-Combatants.

"The time has come," said the President, "when the starvation of women and children should be removed from the weapons of warfare."

Mr. Hoover, in conclusion, said that it had been his cherished hope positively to organize the foreign relations of the United States.

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ARMISTICE NIGHT DINNER.

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A large number of members and friends sat down to the annual Armistice night dinner at Volunteer Headquarters last evening, held under the auspices of the Ex-Service Men's Association and the British Legion. Several speeches were delivered in regard to the "The Services" and "The Guests." Sir Henry Gollan delivering an amusing reply to the latter.

During dinner, music was rendered by the band of the Somerset Light Infantry, conducted by Mr. E. J. Woolcott, by permission of Lieut. Col. C. H. Little, D.S.O., and officers, and contributions of songs were rendered by Mr. R. Keown, Mr. Dick Bart, Mr. G. McLeod, Major C. W. T. Tuke, M.C., R.A., and Lieut. T. H. Mason, R.A., the latter two appearing together, with barjo and piano accompaniment.

Capt. T. T. Laurensen, D.S.C., presided. He was supported among others by the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G., Commodore R. A. S. Hill, R.N., H.E. Major General J.W. Sandilands, Lieut. Col. C. H. Little, D.S.O., the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, the Hon. Mr. H. T. Creasy, Sir Henry Gollan, Mr. T. H. King, Pay. Lieut. Passmore, Mr. H. A. Rodgers, Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, Mr. Mackenzie, M.C., Mr. C. M. Manners and the Dean of St. John's Cathedral.

After the Loyal Toast had been honoured, Mr. F. T. James, President of the British Legion, proposed "The Silent Toast." While those present stood in silence with glasses raised, a bugler in the compound sounded "Reveille" and "The Last Post," after which the toast was drunk.

Mr. G. G. N. Tinson proposed the toast to "The Services." He said he did not think there could be a more appropriate occasion on which to propose the toast than that of a dinner on Armistice Night. There were three branches of H.M.'s forces represented, the Royal Navy, Army and Air Force. To the Navy they owed the fact of the existence of the British Empire, they owed it to the Army that the Empire had been held, and the Air Force were helping to carry on and maintain that Empire.

After a reference to the good work recently performed in Iraq by the Air Force, the speaker went on to say he thought that Armistice Day was too much regarded as a day of mourning for the dead. They died that the glorious Empire might carry on; they died that they might celebrate the most marvellous victory that any country had ever had in the world's history, and the speaker went on to say, he did not think the dead would rest in peace if the day was not celebrated as a glorious victory over a force of very fine foes who held the Allies at bay until finally vanquished.

The Services.

Replying on behalf of the Navy, Commodore Hill expressed thanks for the tribute to the Navy and the cordial manner in which the toast had been received. Since the war, he said, he had been privileged to attend several such gatherings, and it had always occurred to him that besides providing a very pleasant evening, one appreciated very much that the keeping alive of such associations as the British Legion and the Ex-Service Men's Association was of great value.

The question of disarmament had been much to the fore lately, and the abolishing of war. He was sorry to say there seemed to be a great many extremists about who urged that the celebration of Armistice Day and such Associations as were the hosts that night, should be abolished, saying that they tended to keep the war spirit alive, making people think of war instead of peace. He would be very sorry to see those people get

that programme through, to abolish the celebration of Armistice Day (hear, hear). No one wished to see war abolished more than those who took part in the last war. As the old saying went, "I have had some and I don't want any more." Some people said that the Services were "still hired assassins" (laughter), that they were hypocrites and that the men should be trained for some other occupation, such as tailors (laughter).

It was very difficult to see how one could really definitely eliminate the possibility of war and therefore one was very glad to think that the patriotic Associations were kept going and one felt certain that if danger ever did come to the Empire again, as one hoped it would not, then the members of those Associations would be the first to step forward and once more defend the Empire in its hour of need (hear, hear).

By keeping such Associations alive they also kept alive the spirit of comradeship and co-operation which came to the front very much in the last war. Formerly there was a certain aloofness between the Navy and the Army. A sailor would refer to a soldier as a "leatherneck" and a soldier would call a sailor a "flat-footed matlow" (laughter). There was much greater co-operation now.

Further, Armistice Day was the one day on which they could gather together more than on any other day. The Commodore concluded with a reference to the dead, and the gallant seamen of the Merchant Navy, whose resting places were all over the world.

The Army.

Major General J. W. Sandilands replied on behalf of the Army, and included the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps. The speaker said that to men of his age and to men even younger than himself, it seemed almost impossible that they could forget the war. It was almost impossible that a man now less than 30 years of age could have seen anything of the war in the front lines. The boys and girls of to-day who, no doubt, thought a great deal of themselves—what could the war mean to them? It was up to such men as those present not to let the youth of the British Empire forget that there was such a thing as the Great War, not in any spirit of revenge or enmity, but in the spirit of helping those who gave their all, men who went out to fight for their country and returned disabled, and who were still suffering at the present day. The best thing they could do was to contribute generously to Earl Haig's Fund, which they knew was well and wisely distributed.

Referring to the late Earl Haig, the speaker said he could not claim to know him well, but they were acquainted fairly well. The late Earl was a most retiring modest man and did things out of the firm conviction that he was doing right. He refused to accept any employment or honour until all the wants of ex-service men had been satisfied. He did not do that to gain publicity or prestige. It was often said that the value of a man was not appreciated until he was dead, and the speaker said he thought that was true of the late Earl. He was a true friend to every man from the highest to the lowest rank, and a remarkable man to whom they owed a great deal.

Concluding, Major General Sandilands said he was proud to have the honour of commanding the Hongkong Garrison at the present moment, and he did so in the firm belief that he had many friends and supporters whose object was to help his men to lead healthy and happy lives (applause).

The Air Force.

Replying on behalf of the Air Force, Wing Commander Steele Perkins said he was quite sure they would be able to carry on helping the Empire. He would say that one of their functions was also to serve humanity. They could see that quite recently in Afghanistan, where the R.A.F., without the loss of one life, brought the civilian population safely



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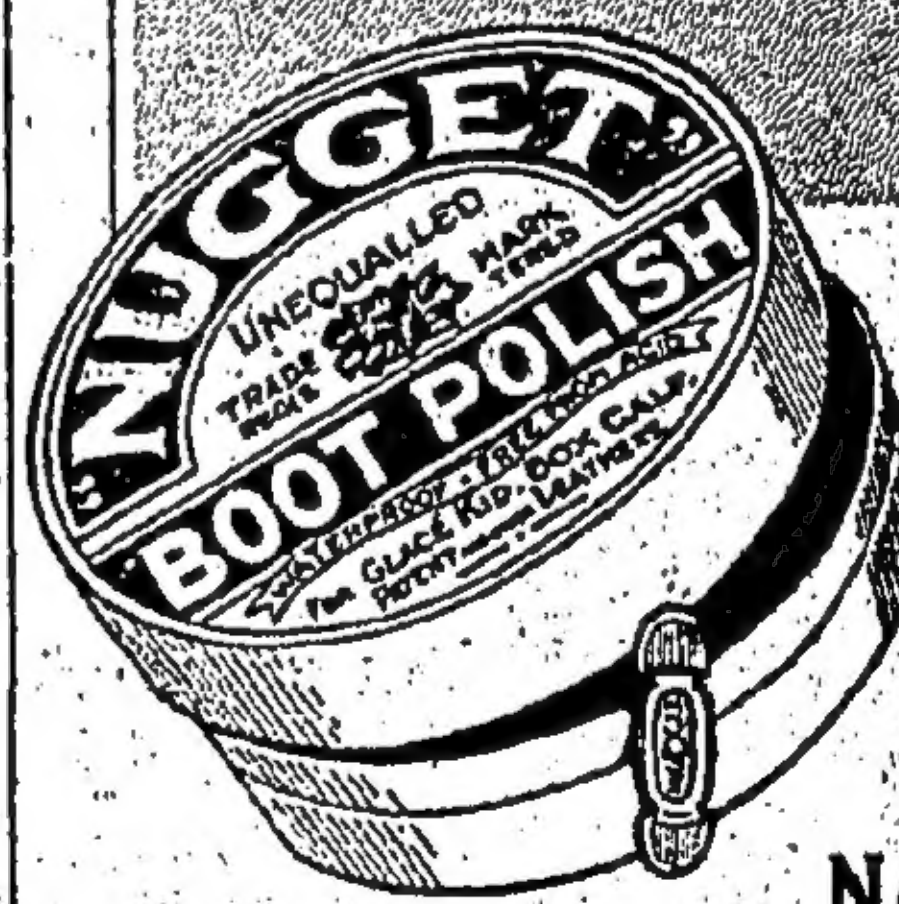
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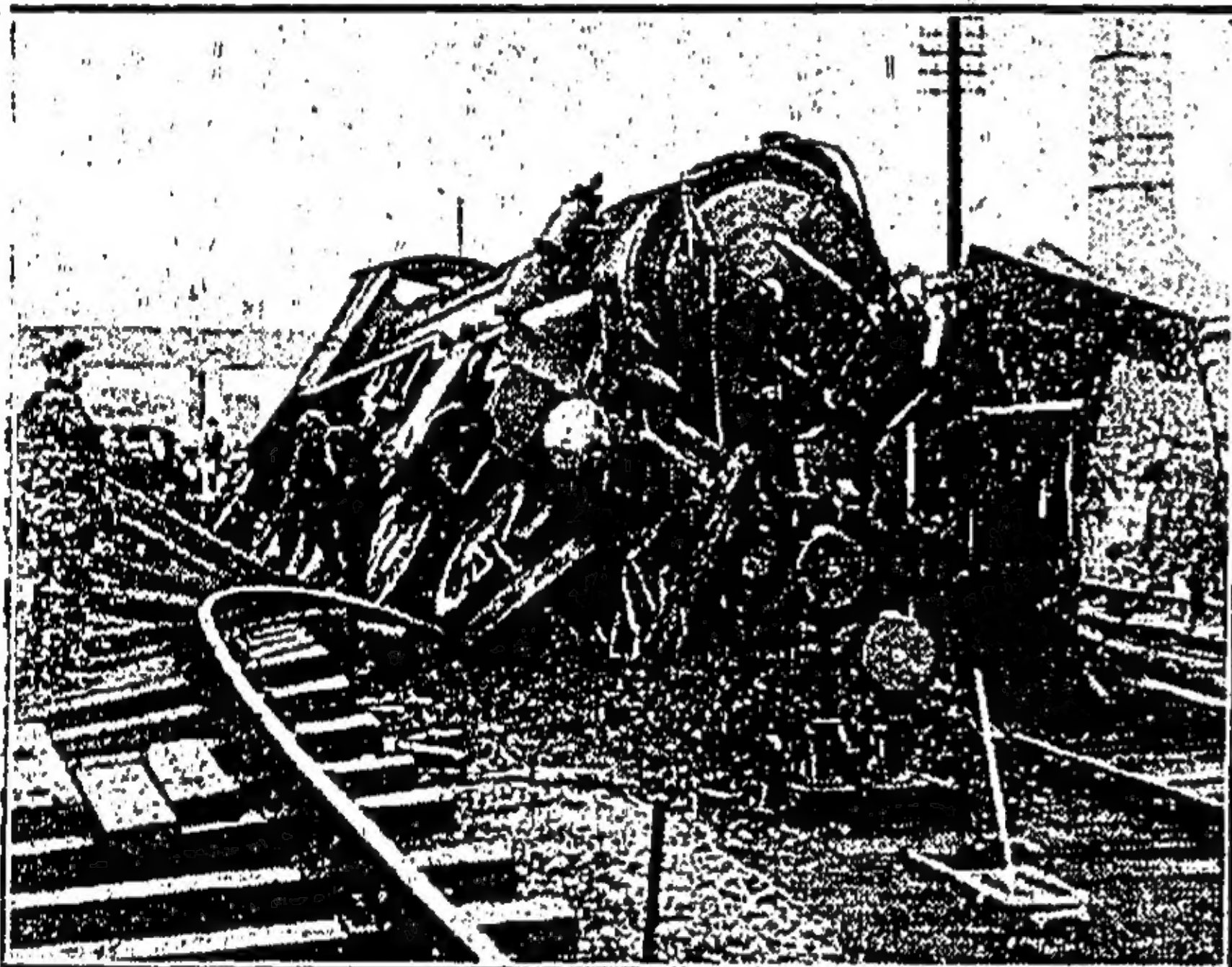


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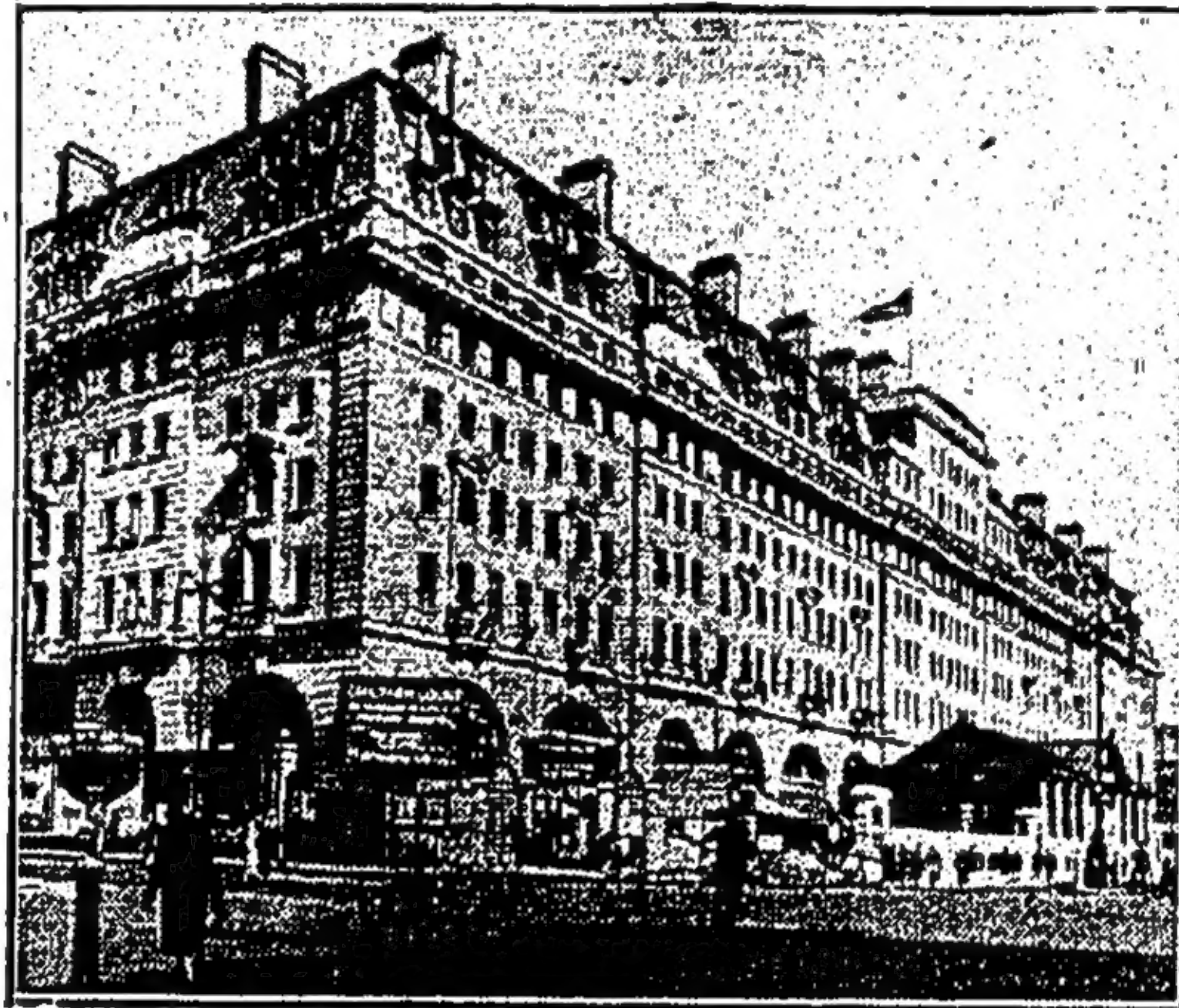




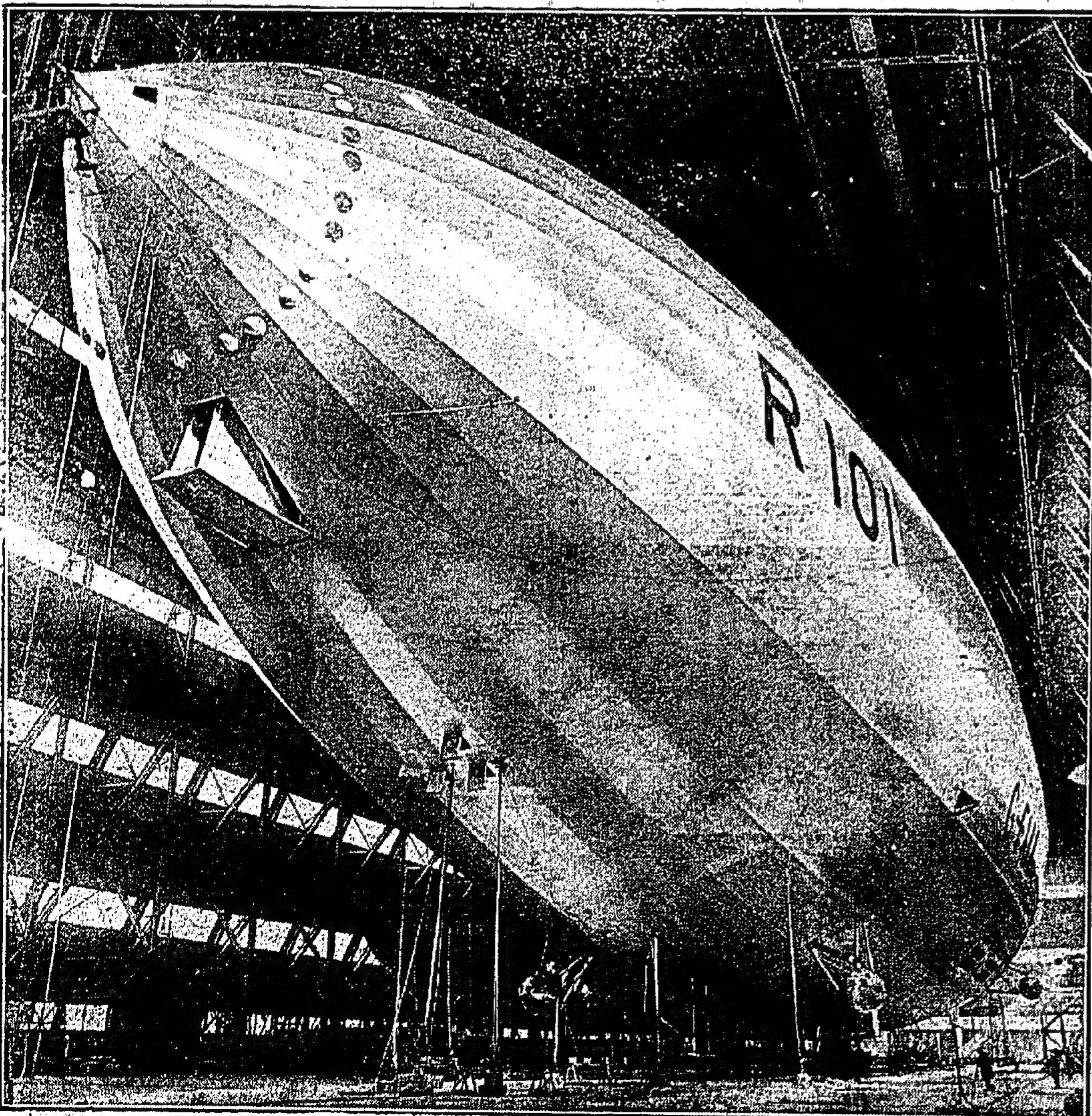
An incident during the Rowland Hill Memorial Match at Twickenham, when Scotland and Ireland beat England and Wales by 23 points to 13 in a hard game. Our picture was taken as an Irish player was brought down after breaking away near the line. (Times copyright).



The scene after the collision near Tottenham Hale Station between a London North Eastern Railway express train and a goods train, showing the break-down gang at work raising the overturned engine of the express. (Times copyright).



A view of the vast block of flats which has been erected over the Metropolitan Railway station at Baker Street. It is one of many improvements in this part of London. (Times copyright).



Our picture shows a general view of the R.101, showing at the nose end the drop gangway by which passengers will enter the ship from the mooring tower. The triangular projection on the side of the ship is a steam radiator for cooling one of the engines. This picture was taken at the Royal Airship Works, Cardington, where the shed trials have been successfully completed. (Times copyright).



M. Philippe Berthelot, the Secretary-General at the French Foreign Office, now the new Ambassador in London.



Sir Thomas Lipton, who has again challenged for the America Cup. He is shown as he landed in New York recently and seems not to change through the years.

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374, 376, 381, 385, 411, 426, 427, 443, 445
455, 461, 462, 465, 474, 476, 486, 505, 512,
545, 547, 556, 557, 562, 565, 566.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATIONS WANTED.—I am a white girl sixteen years of age desiring employment in any capacity which does not call for office experience. The cold weather is approaching and I need employment, so will those who require reliable, white help please communicate with me? Box No. 583, care of "Hongkong Telegraph."

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MISCELLANEOUS.

YOUNG BACHELOR, fond of sport, would like to join mess either in Hongkong or Kowloon, failing this, would take accommodation with private family as paying guest. Write Box No. 581, care of "Hongkong Telegraph."

R.E.O.C.A. The annual dinner of the Royal Engineers' Old Comrades Association will be held in the Savoy Hotel, on Thursday, the 14th inst., at 8.30 p.m. tickets at \$2.50 each may be obtained from the Hon. Sec. H. Rex. Latham at No. 1, "D" Block Kennedy Road, or the Engineers' Institution, Connaught Rd., or from members of the Committee.

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wishes to announce she will be returning from London on the 22nd October and will be resuming her dancing classes for children as from the 1st November.

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New Advertisements

REMINDER.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

MEMBERS are reminded of the OPEN AIR CONCERT arranged to take place at the Pavilion.

THIS EVENING (Tuesday),
at 9.15.

Programme published elsewhere in daily papers.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Half Yearly General Meeting of Voting Members will be held in the Jockey Club Room, Hongkong Club Annex, on Monday, 18th November, 1929, at 5.15 p.m.

By Order.

C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1929.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The Eighth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 16th November, 1929, commencing at 2 p.m.

The first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

The charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1 for all persons including Ladies. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

Members are advised that they must show their Badges to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

Each member has the right to introduce 2 non-members to the Members' Enclosure, tickets for whom can be obtained from Messrs. Linstead & Davis at \$5 each up to Friday, 15th November, 1929.

The charge for admission for Ladies to the Members' Enclosure will be \$2.

Each member can obtain upon application to the Secretary Badges for admission of 2 Ladies free of charge.

Bookmakers, Tie Tac Men, &c. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

NO CHILDREN ALLOWED IN EITHER ENCLOSURE ON ANY PRETEXT.

LAMMERT'S AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

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at their Sales Room,
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47 Kegs each 5 lbs. Roquefort Cheese,

9½ Dozen Fly Fume,

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A Quantity of Hardware,

comprising:—
Screw Drivers, Hatchets, Snips, Pruning Shears, Wrenches, Pillars, Callipers, Auger Bits, Chisels, Hammers, Braces, Padlocks, etc., etc.

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Japan and Shanghai	Per	Shidzuoka Maru	November 18
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Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai	Per	Portos	November 19
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Manila	Per	Emp. of Russia	November 25
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Sam Shui and Wuchow	San Ning	Tues. Nov. 12, 4 p.m.
Haiphong	Havdrot	Tues. Nov. 12, 5 p.m.
Swatow	Hangsang	Tues. Nov. 12, 5 p.m.
Straits	Siakur	Wed. Nov. 13, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai	Diamond	Wed. Nov. 13, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Cremer	Wed. Nov. 13, 12.30 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Wed. Nov. 13, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Liangchow	Wed. Nov. 13, 3.30 p.m.
Haikow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Chengtu	Thurs. Nov. 14, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	Thurs. Nov. 14, 2.30 p.m.
Poochow and Weihaiwei	Chip Shing	Thurs. Nov. 14, 5 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island	Taipei	Fri. Nov. 15, Registration Nov. 15, 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Poochow	Haiyang	Fri. Nov. 15, 1 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Atsuta Maru	Sat. Nov. 16, K.P.O. Registration Nov. 16, 4.30 p.m. Letters 5 p.m.
Swatow	Szechuen	Sat. Nov. 16, 5 p.m.
Amoy	Luchow	Sun. Nov. 17, 8.30 a.m.

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The General Electric Co. of China, Ltd. Announcement

In order to avoid disappointing our many customers, we wish to give publicity to the terms under which we are permitted to sell wireless apparatus.

The following is an extract from the Hongkong Government Gazette, dated July 26, 1929, which appears under the heading:—

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FORM No. 4 DEALER'S LICENSE

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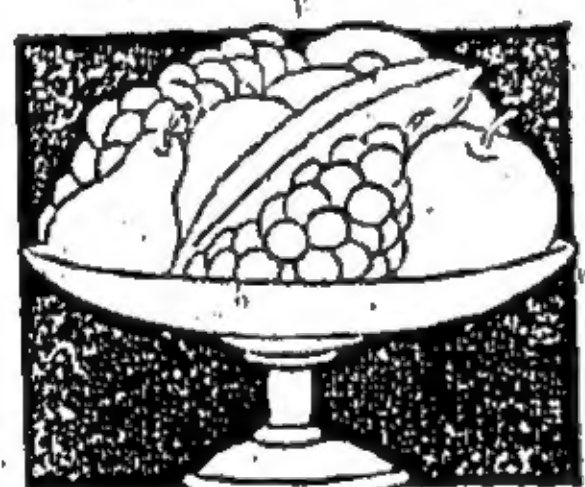
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WOMAN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.

Full Figures.

CURVED IS THE LINE OF BEAUTY.

Hurrah! At last it comes, that day so long deferred, so long desired.

Hail to it!

Paris has at last sent forth her edict. Gone are the days of banting. Gone, oh my martyred sisters of the plump brigade, are those two mile Marathons we have run daily in the effort to capture the elusive stove-pipe silhouette. Gone are our days of continual warfare against the shameful disgrace of owning a few womanly curves.

Curves are Coming In.

No longer is it necessary to lead a life bounded by no breakfast, no supper, lemon juice, and weighing machines.

What sort of life have we womanly, voluptuous-looking souls been leading lately, under the reign of that "boyish figure" and such like monstrosities?

Talk about martyrdom! There was never a torture invented to compare to it. After all, a decent Spanish Inquisitor would at any rate finish the job off in a few hours, but our torture has lasted for years.

But all is changed. We are coming into our own.

We shall be able to go proudly to tennis teas and similar gaieties. When we see one of those flat-chested, hipless, hairpin models take the court, we shall be able to murmur cattily the reverse of all those cruel things which have been said of us in days past by that same snaky soul. We shall be the one to pass little remarks like:—

"My dear, but isn't she just too scrappy for words. The poor darling! You'd think she'd cover her knees at least. It is a pity she doesn't realise what a scream she looks and give up tennis altogether. She really ought to with her figure." Or—

"What's that? A good back-hand stroke? Well so-so, but just look at her. Isn't it dreadful to see such terrible emaciation? Someone ought to tell her about it."

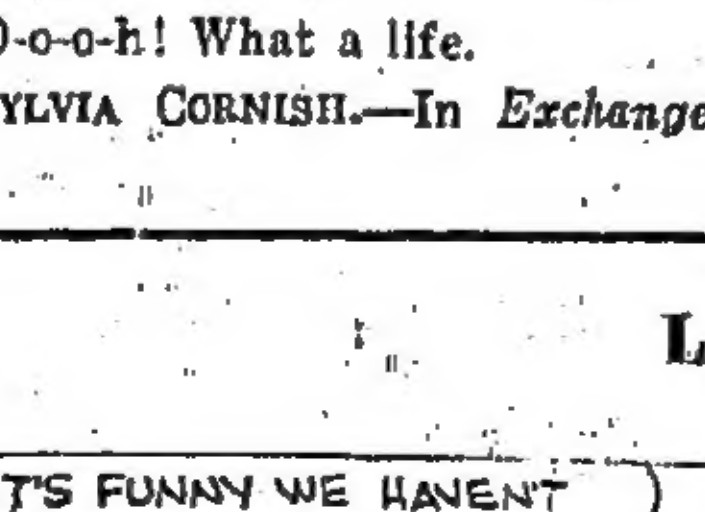
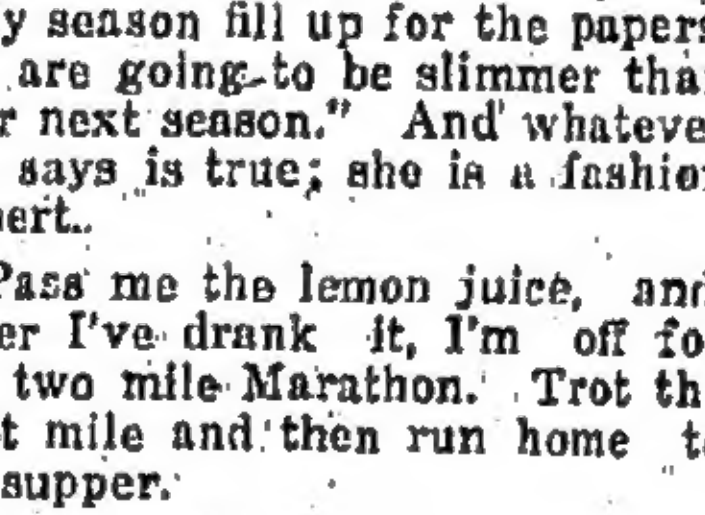
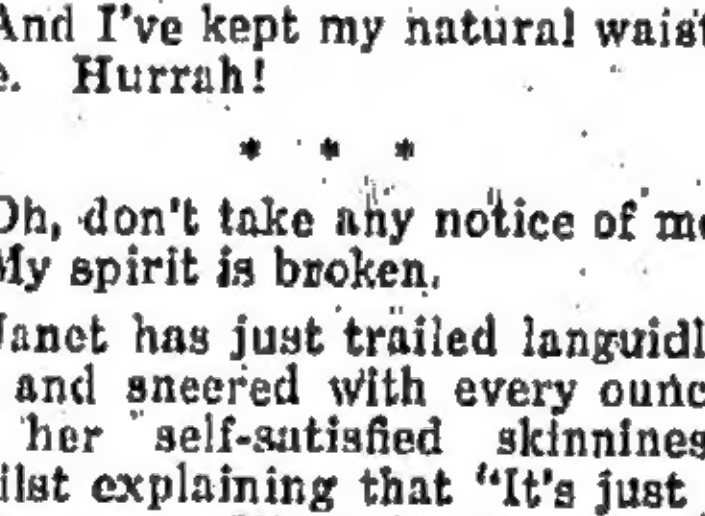
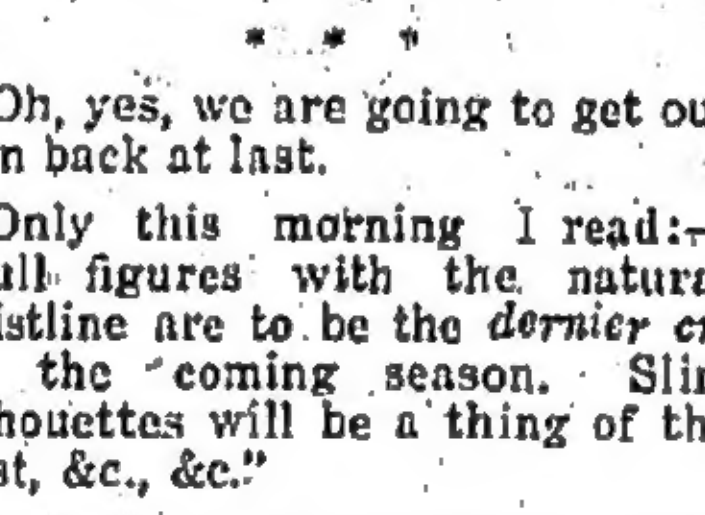
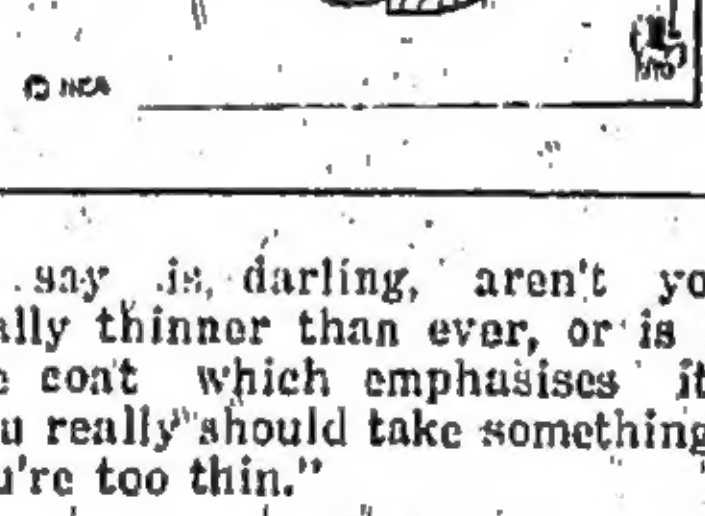
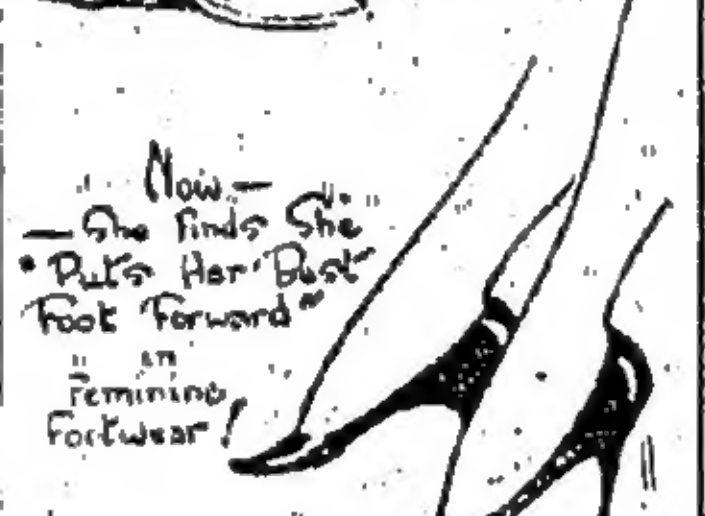
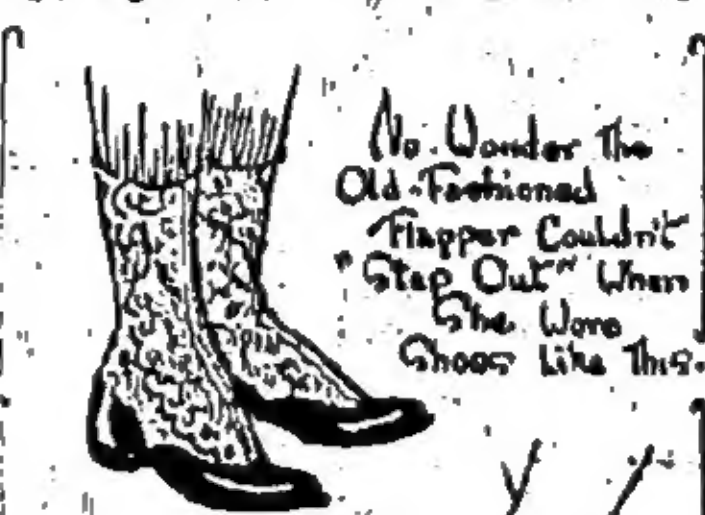
Or, perhaps, we shall flock to bridge parties and whisper sweetly to the stream-line souls:—

"Yes, dear, a lovely coat, but a little—er—er—well, what I mean."



For notes are an important trimming on the new hats. A cafe moy felt is tightly fitted over the forehead and crushed down at the temples where it flares into a rolled brim low at the sides and back. A strip of brown dyed leopard cat is laid over the crown.

Foot Notes ON THE PAST 'N' PRESENT!



Useful Hints.

THE HEM AND THE AMATEUR.

It is usually easy to distinguish the home-made from the professional garment, because the amateur's effort is so often betrayed by its hems. It is the slavish devotion to too-careful stitching that prevents the woman noted for her exquisite needlework from being a success as a home dress-maker.

There is all the difference in the world between the amateur's and the dressmaker's hemming stitch. The amateur too often insists on stitching her frocks as though making lingerie. In consequence her stitches are too tight and perfect, drawing attention to themselves and spoiling the effect of the garment. The dressmaker's hem is another affair and requires a different method.

All thin silks, voiles, crepes, and organdies should be hemmed after folding twice in the usual manner and tacking. Then begin at the right as in ordinary hemming. Place the needle into about two thirds of the material close to the fold of the hem in a horizontal position, and then slip the needle up into the hem a few threads farther on and draw the thread through.

Allow the thread to lie loosely all along the hem, and take pains not to knot it, for the sudden pull would tighten the stitches and spoil the effect. The stitches should be practically invisible on the right side.

When dressmakers are working, instead of holding the work in the usual way, they wear a clean apron and then fasten the article by pins to their skirts. This makes the garment much easier to manage, and the work is through in half the time.

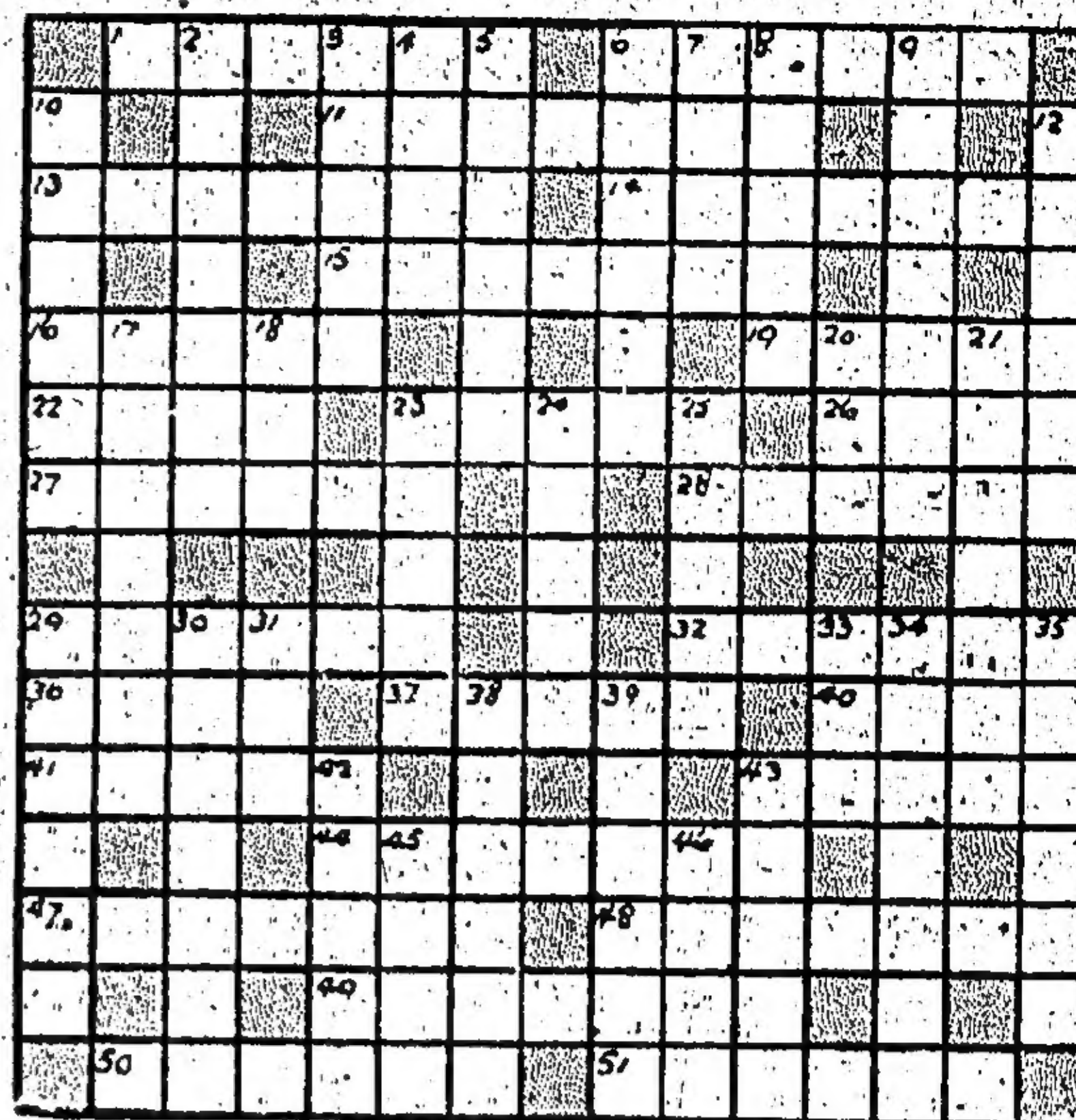
When about to hem a serge or tweed frock, the hem should be turned up by means of a length of saracenet. First machine the length to the raw edge and then hem it with dress-maker's hem-stitch.

Satin is a difficult material to hem, for if it is turned up in the ordinary way the double fold makes an ugly ridge. The best way to treat a satin hem is to follow the method for serge, though georgette or crepe-de-chine should be substituted for saracenet. Cut the piece of georgette and run it along the right side of the garment. Press flat, fold in the raw edge, and press again. Hem up with dressmaker's stitch, and this will be invisible. Press on the right side with a hot iron, placing the satin under a linen handkerchief twice folded.

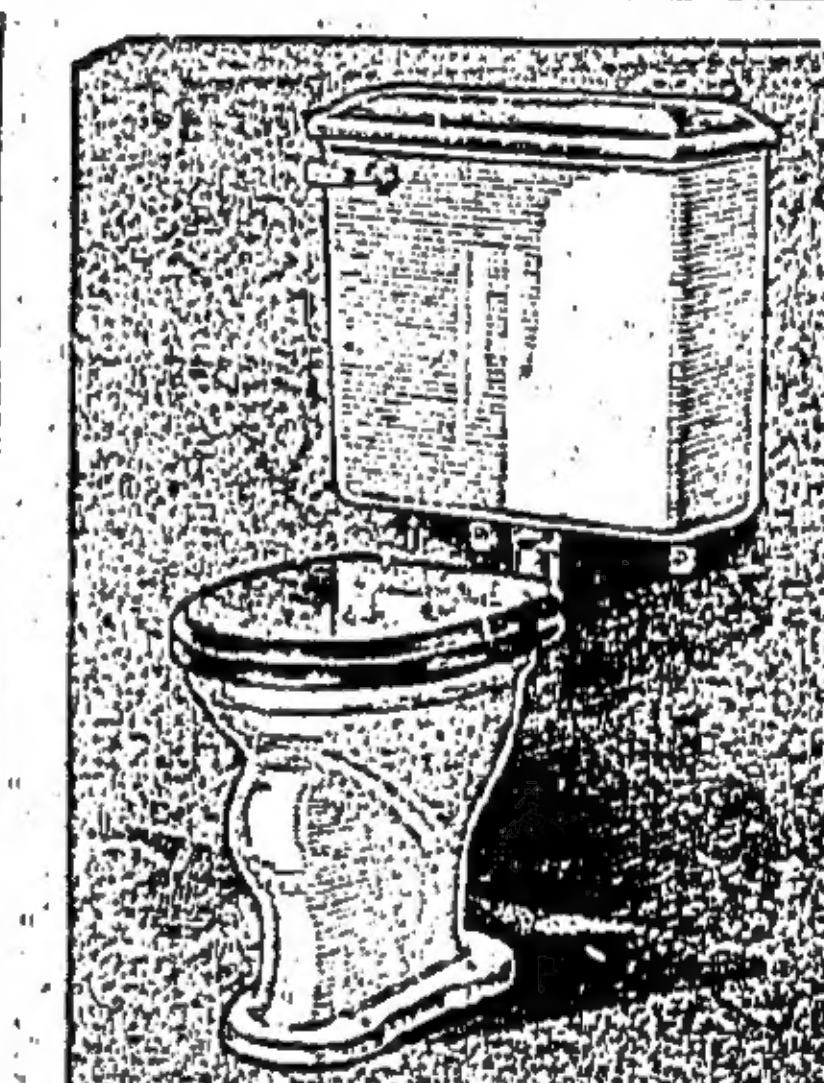


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 - 32 Essay.
 - 38 Old.
 - 37 Faces.
 - 40 Ceremonial.
 - 41 Grant's for temporary use.
 - 43 Doctrine.
 - 44 Row.
 - 47 Lines collectively.
 - 48 Train of attendants.
 - 49 Attendants.
 - 50 Decree.
 - 51 Thought.
- Down
- 2 Spare time.
 - 3 Welcome.
 - 4 Birds.
 - 6 Prate.
 - 6 Kind of beard.
 - 7 Impel.
 - 8 Grind the teeth.
 - 9 Imbecile.
 - 10 Relies on.
 - 12 Stocked.
 - 17 Rob.
 - 18 Part of a fish.
 - 20 Beard of corn.
 - 21 Hermit.
 - 23 Lakes.
 - 24 Aromatic smelling shrub.
 - 25 Oblong holes.
 - 29 King's residence.
 - 30 Nerve again.
 - 31 Annex.
 - 33 Before.
 - 34 Genuine.
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EMPRESS CAPTAIN CONVICTED.**DOG BROUGHT FROM SHANGHAI WITHOUT PERMIT.****PASSENGER FINED TOO.**

The importation of a dog from Shanghai without the necessary permit from the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon or a quarantine permit was alleged against a Chinese residing at No. 124, Kowloon Tong, before Mr. T. S. Whyte, Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

In connexion with the offence, Capt. Robinson, master of the Empress of France, was summoned for allowing Chiu Fai-yo, defendant in the first summons, to remove the dog from the ship without the production of the necessary permit.

A representative of Chiu Fai-yo appeared in Court and informed his Worship that the defendant had gone to Macao. The man produced a certificate from the S. Hyodo's Veterinary Hospital in Shanghai, but Sergeant Kelly indicated that although the dog was certified as being healthy, the certificate was not valid in Hongkong.

In reply to his Worship as to whether there were any notices posted on the ship notifying passengers that dogs could not be imported without a permit, Capt. Robinson said there were none. He said he was aware of the Regulations which were issued three years ago but assumed that they only applied to dogs kept by ships' officers. He did not think the Regulations referred to dogs which were brought by passengers.

Regarding the dog in the present case, he said he was not aware that it was on board. When Sergeant Kelly produced a chit showing that the passenger paid \$4 gold for the dog's passage, the officer who was with Capt. Robinson remarked that that had been issued by him. When he issued the chit, he had overlooked the fact of the dog's landing.

Heavy Penalty Asked.

Sergeant Kelly mentioned to his Worship that he had been asked by the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon and the Deputy Superintendent of Police to press for a heavy penalty. His Worship was aware that Regulations were being strictly enforced. As a matter of fact, the present case would never have been discovered if it had not been for a casual enquiry.

Continuing, the sergeant said he saw a strange dog in Kowloon Tong and instantly asked to see its licence. He discovered then that the dog had been imported from Shanghai. The officer said the dog was in a healthy condition, but pointed out that it might have been suffering from disease.

His Worship:—It is not a thing that often happens?

Sergeant Kelly replied that it was a thing that happened but mentioned that it was very difficult to trace such offences. He did not, of course, mean that it happened on the Empress boats.

Speaking to Capt. Robinson, his Worship remarked that he was there to enforce the law.

Did Not Know.

Capt. Robinson replied that he knew that, but said he did not know the dog was on board.

His Worship said he knew the master personally could not be expected to take personal charge of a dog on board the ship.

In asking for the maximum fine to be imposed on the owner of the dog, Sergeant Kelly mentioned that the animal had been in Hongkong in 1928, when it had been licensed. It was taken to Shanghai in April and returned on November 4. The owner must have been conversant with the local Regulations.

His Worship:—Do you submit that it is a more serious thing than having a dog here without a licence?

Sergeant Kelly:—The seriousness of it cannot be too fully emphasised.

His Worship mentioned that it was also serious to have a dog without a licence.

Sergeant Kelly pointed out that dogs which were kept in Hongkong without licences were generally locally-born.

Addressing Captain Robinson, his Worship said he quite realised that the master was not personally to blame, but he was afraid the defendant would have to take a certain amount of responsibility. As far as the Captain was concerned, his Worship quite believed that he did not know the dog was on board, but he would have to impose some penalty.

Captain Robinson mentioned that it had never happened before.

RUBBER OUTLOOK BRIGHT.**"TIMES" REVIEWS YEAR OF NON-RESTRICTION.****NO RECENT PLANTING.**

London, Nov. 2.

The Times declares that the rubber industry, at the end of the first year after the removal of restriction, can regard the results with a certain amount of satisfaction, especially in view of the gloomy predictions voiced when removal was foreshadowed.

Despite the release of full outputs, and the sale of large accumulations, the price during the twelve months had averaged 10½d., ensuring efficient estates a satisfactory profit.

It would be imprudent, however, to regard this as an economic price, for it had failed to attract new capital.

When considering the outlook it was important to remember that there has been no recent extensive planting.

The industry's future depends mainly on the trend of consumption which, for many years, has shown a steady tendency to increase.—Straits Times.

AMERICAN STOCKS.**CABLED QUOTATIONS FROM NEW YORK.**

The following quotations as at the close of the market on Monday have been received from their correspondents Messrs. Hayden, Stone and Co., of New York, by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits, Sassoon House, Shanghai, (cable address: "Swanstock," Shanghai), who are not responsible for cable mutilations.

	Previous	Latest
Anaconda Copper	87	82
Bethlehem Steel	90	85
Baltimore and Ohio	118	116
Chrysler Corp. (Common)	33	31
Erie Ry. Co.	unq.	51
General Motors	43	40
General Ry. Signal	82	75
Goodyear Tyre and Rubber	71	71
Granby Consolidated	61	56
International Cement (Common)	54	51
Missouri Pacific (Common)	68	61
Liggett and Myers "B"	95	91
Nevada Consolidated	34	31
Copper	34	31
Radio Corporation of America (Common)	30	31
Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey	62	58
Standard Oil Co. of New York	35	34
Southern Pacific	121	113
Texas Corporation	56	54
United States Steel	171	169
Vacuum Oil	89	97

JUDICIARY CHANGES.**APPOINTMENTS TO APPEAL COURT.**

London, Nov. 11.

H.M. the King has appointed the Right Honourable Frank Russell, one of the Lords Justices of Appeal, to be Lord of Appeal in Ordinary in place of Lord Carson.

His Majesty has also appointed Sir Mark Romer, one of the judges of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division), to be Lord Justice of Appeal.—British Wire-
less.

[Lord Justice Russell has been a Lord Justice of Appeal since 1928. The fourth son of the late Lord Russell of Killowen, he was called to the Bar in 1893 and made a K.C. in 1908. From 1918 to 1928, he was Judge of the High Court.

Mr. Justice Romer has been a Judge of the Chancery Court since 1922. He was called to the Bar in 1890 and made a K.C. in 1906.]

and was never likely to happen again. He pointed out that the dog was found on board after the ship had left Shanghai, and the pursuer had charged the owner for its fare. It was not taken on in the ship's manifests.

Technical Offence.

His Worship said he regarded it as a technical offence as far as the captain was concerned, but, of course, he had to consider what would happen when a vessel not so well known as the Empress came in. They could not have one law for the big ships and another for the smaller ones.

Captain Robinson:—No, no; not at all. We come here often, and this is the first time that it has happened.

The owner of the dog was fined \$25, while Captain Robinson was fined \$5.

HONGKONG CRICKET SENSATIONS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Madar started shakily, twice threatening to nibble at fast off balls, but restraining himself in the nick of time. When Bowker put one closer in, Madar got him away for a single.

Three singles off Wyatt, two to Madar, put 20 on the board after 25 minutes, but the score did not move for another five minutes when Stokes got Wyatt nicely away, being still short of double figures, however.

He was not destined to reach it. In Bowker's next over he touched at a fast rising ball pitched well up and was easily taken in the slips by Brace. 21—3—9.

Turning of the Tide.

The tide had definitely turned in favour of Hongkong, the dismissal of Stokes being very encouraging from the local point of view.

Donald Leach cut Bowker through the slips, scoring two runs off the first ball he received.

Madar was nearly bowled by Wyatt after putting him for a two. Wyatt's last ball beat him completely and almost grazed the off-stump.

Reid replaced Bowker with the total at 25. He bowled a maiden, puzzling Leach with at least 20 minutes. Play had been in progress 40 minutes. Wyatt also bowled a maiden, but he was replaced by Brace, whose first ball went for a boundary by, putting up 30 in 45 minutes.

His third ball, however, pitched about four inches outside the leg-stump and broke right in, taking Madar's off-stump. It was a beautiful ball, going up fast and keeping very low. 31—4—6.

Madar stayed nearly half an hour for his six, and yet seemed in better shape than during the first innings.

Dr. O'Hara made two, while Leach got a four—a glide just out of the reach of slip—and a single off Reid.

O'Hara put 40 up with a boundary hit precisely after the manner of his skipper. Leach made two singles to reach 10 after 20 minutes. He was the first Shanghai player to reach double figures.

O'Hara Caught.

O'Hara had given promise, his score being 8, but he fell a victim to Reid, sending up a simple catch to Wyatt, who was fielding at backward point.

Five wickets were thus down for 46 runs, and the whole complexion of the game had undergone a complete change.

Nothing short of a miracle could now rob Hongkong of a brilliant victory.

Howard, who followed O'Hara, was decidedly uncomfortable to Reid but eventually he broke his duck with a risky shot towards point, but just out of reach. A lucky single off Brace enabled him to put 50 up after an hour and five minutes. Leach singled off Brace, the batsman stealing cleverly.

Howard Goes Too.

Reid bowled a maiden to Leach. He was keeping a good length and making the ball turn. Brace was also bowling at the top of his form and after nearly beating Howard he got him caught in the slips with the last ball before tea.

Howard sliced at it, sending it at a fast pace wide of Owen-Hughes. The fielder, however, brought off the most brilliant catch of the series, so far, diving at full length to the right and

MAKING CANTON MODERN.**LIBRARY, MENAGERIE & ART GALLERY PLANNED.****MUSIC COLLEGE, TOO.**

Among the many schemes that have been considered by the Municipality for modernising Canton into an up-to-date metropolis, public works have been given most attention, and plans for the construction of the following have been drawn up, says the Canton Gazette.

A large and up-to-date library to be built in memory of the late Party Leader, Dr. Sun Yat-sen. It is learned that a delegate has been sent abroad by the local Government to solicit subscriptions from overseas Chinese towards the building of the proposed library and that according to the latest reports, an amount of \$5100,000 has already been subscribed or promised by Chinese nationals in America.

A menagerie to be established along the lines adopted by the various well-known European and American cities.

An art gallery to be erected inside the new pagoda building on the Goddess of Mercy Hill.

A music college is to be established to encourage the development of talent in this direction.

taking it superbly with both hands! Six wickets down and only 51 runs on the board!

First innings scores follow:—

Hongkong—1st Innings.				
W. Brace, b O'Hara	6	0	0	0
E. C. Fincher, c Stokes, b Leach	53	0	0	0
T. E. Pearce, c Stokes, b O'Hara	14	0	0	0
Lt. A. H. Musson, lb.w., Wilson	4	0	0	0
H. Owen Hughes, lb.w., O'Hara	1	0	0	0
H. E. B. Hancock, b Leach	7	0	0	0
D. J. N. Anderson, c Wilson, b O'Hara	0	0	0	0
J. E. Richardson, b Leach	0	0	0	0
A. Reid, c Stokes, b Leach	5	0	0	0
Lt.-Col. F. J. Wyatt, b Leach	9	0	0	0
A. C. I. Bowker, not out	8	0	0	0
Extras	8	0	0	0
Total	114	0	0	0

Fall of wickets:—1 for 17 runs (Brace), 2 for 30 (Pearce), 3 for 34 (Musson), 4 for 35 (Owen Hughes), 5 for 46 (Hancock), 6 for 47 (Anderson), 7 for 55 (Richardson), 8 for 64 (Reid), 9 for 83 (Wyatt), 10 for 114 (Fincher).

Bowling Analysis.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
Wilson	14	5	22	1
O'Hara	23	5	67	4
Leach	17	2	17	5

Shanghai—1st Innings.

O. G. Simpson, c Pearce, b Bowker	1	0	0	0
L. F. Stokes, c Pearce, b Bowker	5	0	0	0
F. E. T. Marshall, c Musson, b Brace	52	0	0	0
P. Madar, c Pearce, b Bowker	43	0	0	0
C. H. Howard, c Pearce, b Reid	19	0	0	0
E. G. Barnes, b Bowker	10	0	0	0
H. E. Orr, b Brace	1	0	0	0
D. W. Leach, c Owen Hughes, b Bowker	13	0	0	0
Dr. W. E. O'Hara, not out	4	0	0	0
T. L. Rawthorne, b Bowker	1	0	0	0
T. W. R. Wilson, c Brace, b Bowker	12	0	0	0
Extras	14	0	0	0
Total	183	0	0	0

Fall of wickets:—1 for 7 (Simpson), 2 for 13 (Stokes), 3 for 78 (Marshall), 4 for 128 (Howard), 5 for 129 (Orr), 6 for 147 (Madar), 7 for 156 (Barnes), 8 for 167 (Leach), 9 for 180 (Rawthorne), 10 for 183 (Wilson).

Bowling Analysis.				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
A. C. I. Bowker	22	7	64	7
Lt.-Col. F. J. Wyatt	24	6	60	6
W. Brace	12	3	12	2
A. Reid	11	2	20	1
Lt. A. H. Musson	2	1	3	0
Dr. J. N. Anderson	3	2	4	0
One Wide	4	0	0	0
Later scores on Page 1.				

ADVANCE OF THE IRONSIDES.**TO PASS THROUGH KWEILIN WITHOUT FIGHTING.****DEMAND FOR RICE.**

Kweilin, Nov. 3.

The political situation in this part of Kwangsi continues quiet but uncertain. Various rumours of impending changes have been circulated but none have materialised. It is true that the absence from the city of the garrison troops has enabled robbers to reap a rich harvest, but this always occurs when the troops are away.

A large body of soldiers came into the city last Sunday and there was general satisfaction that once again means of defence were at hand. No news was available from the incoming troops, however, but a newspaper which came to hand last night contained the somewhat startling report that the Ironsides had been disarmed and scattered by Ho Chen's troops.

About the same time, however, a letter was received to the effect that the Ironsides had reached Ning Gyi, 72 li away from Kweilin. Although there was a garrison of Government troops it appears that the city was taken without fighting. The advance guard consists of 5,000 of the best men; the army having grown in size since Ichang was left.

No Fighting Likely.

The Government troops here have sent out representatives in an attempt to come to some arrangement with the Ironsides regarding Kweilin. It is understood, however, that the advancing troops will merely pass through here on their way to Canton and will require 30,000 catties of rice. The Ironsides will apparently pass through quietly but are prepared to fight if necessary.

Meanwhile the business of the city is carried on without interruption and this is creating confidence in future happenings.

The advancing troops are said to contain many men who formerly served under General Wong Shi-hung and it is claimed that they have had a successful skirmish with the Hunan troops, inflicting severe losses.—Our Own Correspondent.

KOWLOON GOLF.**Y.M.C.A. DEFEAT THE K.G.C. YESTERDAY.**

The Y.M.C.A. gained an excellent victory in a friendly golf match with the Kowloon Golf Club yesterday, when they won the singles by 7½ to 5½ and the foursomes by 7½ to 6½, and finished the whole match 2½ ahead.

The players observed the two minutes' silence, the solemn period being announced by the firing of a canon. Tiffin was taken in the club house, and Mr. J. H. Hunt, Secretary of the Y.M.C.A., was responsible for the major part of the arrangements, which proved entirely satisfactory. The detailed results follow:

Singles.	
Y.M.C.A.	Kowloon G.C.
Thomson	0
Austin	0
Skinner	0
Hunt	0
Price	0
Marbury	0
Funcheson	0
Seddon	0
Laughton	0
Total	7½
Foursomes.	
Austin & Hampton	0
Thomson & Russell	0
Skinner & Eastman	0
Hunt & Price	0
Marbury & Funcheson	0
Seddon & Laughton	0
Total	7½

TSINGTAO MAYOR.**WELL-KNOWN MOHAMMEDAN LEADER APPOINTED.**

Shanghai, Nov. 11.
It is reported from Tsingtao that Ma Fu-baiang, the well-known Chinese Mohammedan leader, was inducted in office this morning as Mayor of Tsingtao.—Reuter.

GERMAN MINISTERS.**DR. CURTIUS APPOINTED TO FOREIGN OFFICE.**

Berlin, Nov. 11.
Dr. Curtius, the Minister of Economics, and a member of the People's Party, has been appointed Foreign Minister.
Dr. Moldenauer, a Professor of Cologne Commercial College and a director of the dye trust, succeeds Dr. Curtius.—Reuter.

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"REST" BEATEN.

GOOD FOOTBALL WIN FOR THE SERVICES.

A comparatively poor crowd turned out to witness the game between the Services and the Rest of the Colony on the H.K.F.C. ground yesterday. H. E. Major General J. W. Sandilands, G.O.C., accompanied by his A.D.C., Capt. Cameron, of the Cameron Highlanders, arrived on the ground early. Others present included Commodore R. A. S. Hill, R.N., the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, Colonial Secretary, and the Hon. Dr. A. R. Welling. The band of the K.O.S.B. played selections on the field before the kick-off.

Accompanied by Mr. W. E. Hollands, Hon. Sec. H.K.F.A., H.E. the G.O.C. proceeded to the field where all the players and officials were introduced. His Excellency kicked off for the Services.

Goldman, two Kwa-ah-shing, Dr. Valentine and Pau Ka-ping were absent from the chosen team to represent the Rest of the Colony. The teams lined out as under:

Services: Jarvis (Navy); Oliver (R.A.) and Carey (Navy); Lushmore (Navy); West (S.L.L.) and Joyce (Navy); Van Tromp and Firth (R.A.); Rayson, Bewley-Bull and Dutcher (S.L.L.).

The Rest: Chan Shek-pui (Athlet); Wynne (Police) and C. Pile (Kowloon); Hedley (Kowloon); Hudson (Police) and Lam Yuk-ying (Athlet); C. Pile (Kowloon); B. Gosano (Heceler); Howarth (Police); Gilchrist (H.K.F.C.) and Ip Pak-wa (South China). Referee Q.M.S. Scott R.E.

The Services were early attacking. Bewley-Bull clearing the bar with a long shot. The Rest forwards were slow and showed very poor ball control. Butcher was sent in by Church-house and he sent in a fast cross shot which Chan Shek-pui failed to turn out and the Services were one up. The Services attacked strongly but Wynne and Chan Shek-pui were very safe.

The Rest forced a corner and Ip Pak-wa dropped close in. Gosano headed over the top. Gilchrist had a splendid opening to put the Rest on equal footing but just slowly pushed the ball to Jarvis. Wynne conceded a corner, but Van Tromp sent in a flag kick behind. Butcher put in a drive that just cleared the upright, while at the other end Howarth was a.

Later Oliver miskicked and presented Howarth with an open goal but he failed to beat Jarvis. The Services transferred and Rayson cleared the bar from a centre by Dutcher. Half-time, Services 1, The Rest 0.

Resuming, the Services attacked and a scramble in the Rest's goal area ended with a clearance by Wynne. At the other end, Gosano and Howarth missed from easy positions. The only forward to worry Jarvis was Ip Pak-wa. The South China winger had hard luck when the ball glided along the crossbar from a full force drive. Van Tromp and Firth took the ball down and the latter slipped to Rayson who went in to beat Chan Shek-pui from close range.

Van Tromp sent in a drive that just cleared the bar. Gosano tried a solo but Carey turned the ball behind. The Services came again and Chan saved from Rayson just as the final whistle sounded.

Result: Services 2; The Rest 0. For a game between selected teams the play was rather poor. There was little to cause excitement. The Services had the advantage forward, the defences being on a par. Chan Shek-pui did well in goal for the Rest, and had no chance with the shots that beat him. Jarvis was not seriously troubled throughout the game.

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GARRISON NEWS.

PROGRAMME OF SPORT IN K.O.S.B. CAMP.

The K.O.S.B., who are at present carrying out training and field exercises at Sun Wal camp, are not likely to find that time hangs heavily on their hands when the day's duties are completed. A very comprehensive programme of sport has been drawn up for their benefit, and this includes a Battalion Inter-Company Football League, "cross-country" runs, Company and Battalion sports, and a Regimental Gymkhana.

Two football matches are down to be played to-day, "A" Company and Headquarter Wing commencing play at 3.30 p.m., and "B" and "C" Companies being scheduled to start at 5 p.m.

To-morrow afternoon tug-of-war competitions have their place. "D" Company meeting Headquarter Wing, and "C" Company pulling against the winners of the pull between "A" and "B" Companies, who decided their respective merits yesterday.

Further progress will be made with the Football League on Thursday, whilst the tug-of-war final will take place on Friday.

The cross-country run for the Broadbent Bowl will commence at 3.30 p.m. on Friday week.

Company sports between now and the 25th of this month, the Regimental sports being held on the 26th and 27th. The Regimental Gymkhana will take place on December 1st, and the cross-country run for the Scott-Elliott Cup on December 5th.

Soldiers' Guild of St. George. A meeting of this Guild will be held at Scandal Point Hall to-night, commencing at 8.30 p.m.

Hospital Concert. The "Whizz-Bangs" will give a further concert at the Military Hospital, Bowen Road, on Thursday night, commencing at 8 p.m.

Farewell Dance. A farewell dance will be held at the Military Hospital on Saturday night. Admission to the dance, which commences at 8 p.m., will be by invitation only. Quite a large number of all ranks of the R.A.M.C. are due for relief this morning, and this dance should mark a fitting close to many enjoyable entertainments, both indoor and in the open, partaken of by the Medicals during their stay in Hongkong.

Hockey.

The most important hockey match of the week is the third Army Trial match, to be played on the U.S.R.C. ground on Thursday afternoon. The bully-off will be at 4.30 p.m.

Other matches to be played during this week include the following: To-day: 2nd XI, S.L.L. v. Y.M.C.A. at King's Park, at 4.30 p.m. To-morrow: 1st XI, S.L.L. v. H.K. Club, on U.S.R.C. ground, at 5 p.m. Friday: S.L.L. "A" XI, v. H.K. Club, at King's Park, at 5 p.m.

Football.

The match arranged to be played yesterday afternoon at Chatham Road did not take place, the R. E. and R. Signals not being able to field a team to meet "A" Company. S.L.L.

H.M.S. Berwick Inter-Part League. Communications added to their already long string of wins yesterday afternoon, when they beat the Forecastle men by seven goals to one at Happy Valley. The score does not entirely reflect the actual run of the play, as the Forecastle men played a good game, and it was the deadly shooting of Watkins that made such a high register of goals. The teams were as under:

Communication.—Roberts; Ablett, Abbott; Matthews, Jones, Lampert; Stubb, Tove, Watkins, Kennedy; Lee. Forecastle men.—Smith; Bowers, Scott; Court, Wallace, Clayton; Mudge, Hodges, Tredegar, Williams, Hodgson.

The Forecastle men kicked off, and made at once for Roberts' end, but the Communications team retained with a good run, which Bowers cleared successfully, and put Mudge along on the right. The latter was beaten by Abbott, and play ran from one end to the other, both defences being severely tested. Eventually, Watkins accepted a good pass and beat Smith to open his side's score.

The latter was well-positioned to save a penalty kick shortly afterwards, and he set his forwards going with a good clearance; but this counter-attack was short-lived, and Communications came back in the centre. Watkins, making ground, had a shot at goal, which followed to bustle Smith and the ball into the back of the net.

Midfield play ruled for some little time, with Communications having slightly the better of matters, their distribution and combination being good. Watkins obtained his hat-trick after some clever play had been seen on the left. Shortly afterwards, Stubb registered the best goal of the match, with a beautiful cross-shot which Smith misjudged, and the ball

hit the far corner of the net. At the commencement of the second half, Communications took up the running again, and the Forecastle men were hard put to it to keep their goal clear.

A free-kick awarded to the Forecastle men about 15 yards from goal enabled them to reduce the lead through Wallace, who beat Roberts with a high shot. A further brisk bit of play by the Forecastle men appeared to be heading for a score, but lack of combination spoiled the effort.

A free-kick awarded to the Communications was the beginning of their next goal, for Lee put the ball in the goalmouth, and Kennedy had no difficulty in putting it past Smith.

A melee in front of goal put the Communications further ahead, Watkins getting his fourth, and, in the closing minutes, the same player registered his fifth goal, and the seventh of his side.

The game was well refereed by Leading Hand W. J. Kidd.

Friendly Match.

A friendly match was also played at Happy Valley yesterday afternoon, teams from H.M.S. Sepoy and H.M.S. Thracian meeting in a match which the former won by the only two goals scored. Teams:

Sepoy.—Jarrett; Farrell, Oakden; Haywood, Bryden, Tuck; Draper, Hudson, Williams, Dennis, Exon. Thracian.—Griffiths; Bowers, Sloane; Nelson; Skenes; Bennett; Morris; Maloney, Burke, Lowe, Trimm.

After the kick-off, the Sepoys made for the Thracian end, where Griffiths was fortunate to clear from a scrimmage in front of his goal. After midfield play, and a series of rushes by both teams, and corners given by desperate defenders, the Sepoys got warmed up and pressed hard, and appeared as though their efforts would be rewarded. At the other end Jarrett cleared well from a raid by the Thracians. The Sepoys were still on the spot, however, and took play to the other end, where a pass in front of goal was missed by no fewer than three forwards, and was finally cleared by Sloane. They were not to be denied, and their first goal came from a spot-kick, well taken by Exon, who beat Griffiths comfortably.

A vigorous run by the Thracians was the reply to this reverse, but the Sepoys returned to the Thracian's goal, and another penalty was awarded for them, Exon again scoring. No further score resulted, and a good match, which was played in the most sporting and friendly manner, came to an end with the Sepoys making another attack.

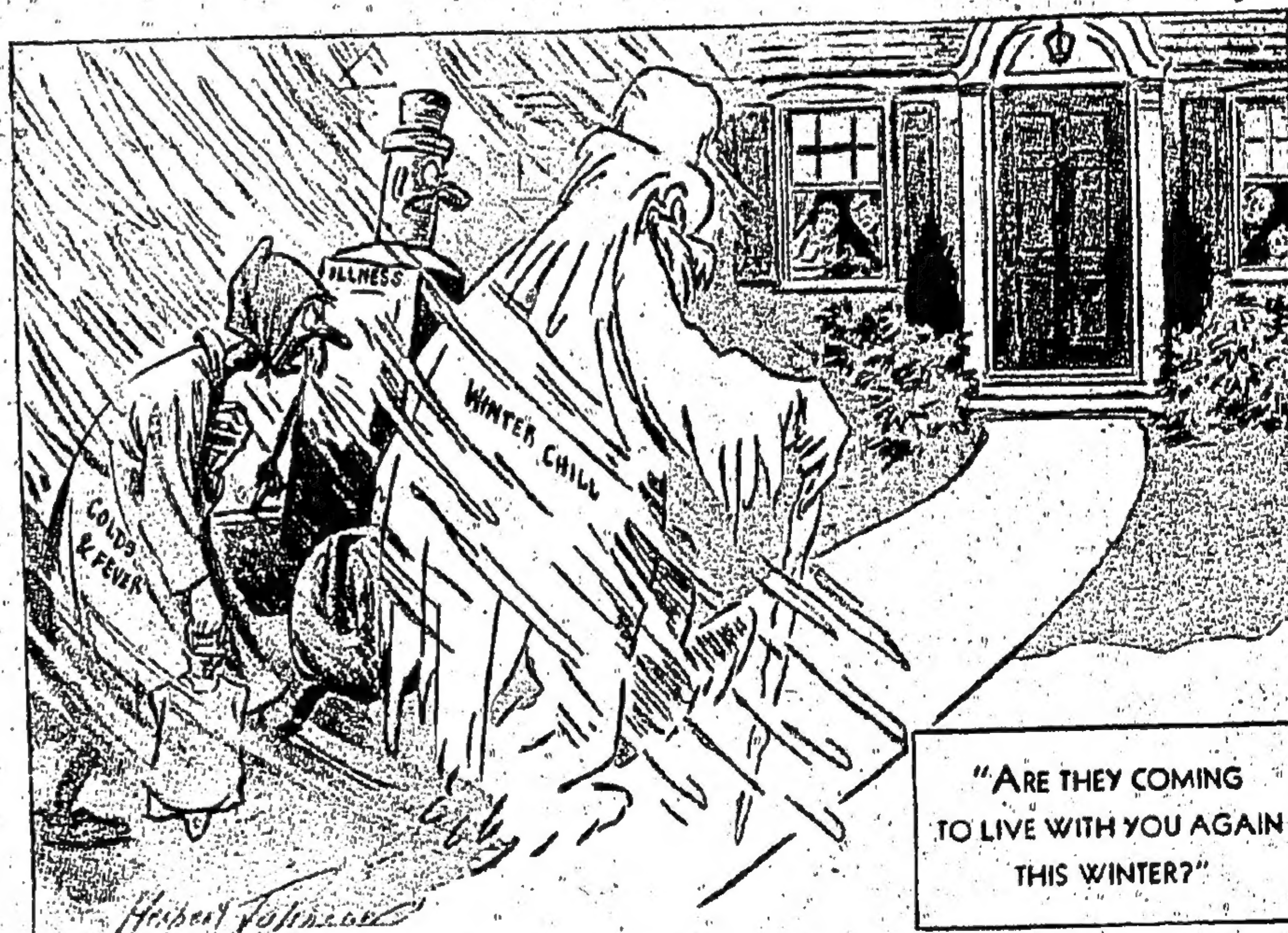
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CHAPTER XXXIX.

With her hands on his chest, Molly held him from her. "Go on, Bob," she commanded. "I'd like to know exactly what you're driving at."

"You're different from most girls," he floundered. "You've got more sense. That's what experience does—gives a woman sense. As I was saying—if you'd been an innocent little kid, Red Flynn would have given you such a thrill you'd have thought he was the only man. But you know better than that. You know enough to discount this thrill business. I don't mean that I think you're anything, but the straightest girl that ever lived. If I didn't know that, I wouldn't ask you to marry me. I'm only trying to say... well, you know what it's all about, Molly. You're not an ingenu model, if you know what I mean."

"No," she conceded, "I'm no ingenu. Go on."

Bob cleared his throat with evident embarrassment. "I know I don't give you much of a kick," he admitted.

"No," she interrupted coolly. "You don't."

"But that doesn't make any difference," he insisted. "When a girl marries, it's because the man has something she wants. You know, as well as I do, the transitoriness of passionate love. You know it's not worth building on, don't you? I may not have any particular physical attraction for you. But I have something infinitely more important. I have Rita."

Molly stepped back.

"You're not trying to bribe me with Rita, are you?" she asked.

"Why, yes," he admitted, "I suppose I am—if you want to put it like that. You see, I know that you don't love me, Molly. I have to advance some reason to argue my plea."

"But it's ghastly to talk of marriage without love!" she protested.

"No," he contradicted calmly. "I don't think it is. There's a chap named Collins—a doctor—who has written some pretty sensible things about love. He says it's a sort of disease, that lasts about two years. Now, you've seen a lot of life, Molly. What's the use of looking for romantic love, when you know it won't last?"

"But I don't know anything of the kind!" she contradicted indignantly. "I'm an incurable romanticist."

He smiled cynically.

"Crying eternally for love, I suppose? No, you can't make me believe that, Molly. Some women are that way, I know. But you're different."

"I'm not!" she flushed. "I shall never be loved enough for my happiness."

"But I love you!" he cried.

"Molly, I'm crazy about you! You know that, don't you? I'll love you, dear. I swear it."

She tried to laugh.

"But you're not romantic, Bob—not really. You make beautiful, grand protestations. But you're not a bit my kind of a sweetheart. You'd never do all the silly, sweet things I'd adore. Why, you'd simply laugh at my adolescent notions!"

"What kind of notions?" he demanded. "What do you mean?"

"Silly things," she floundered. "I'd love a husband who'd write me love notes every day, and pick me nose-pieces. And buy me things like lollipops and peanuts, because I like them so. And play the guitar nights, and sing me love songs. And kiss me before and after every meal."

"That sounds like a doctor's prescription," she confessed. "It's awfully silly. But there you are! That's the sort of a husband I want. I tell you I'm a born romanticist. You didn't know that, did you? You never guessed I was one of those dreadful sentimentalists who go round simply screaming for love."

"You're a little liar," he told her coolly. "You're cold as ice, and you know it. You sent Jack Wells away, because he couldn't make money enough to satisfy you. You're playing at love now with Red Flynn."

"That's not true!" she defended herself.

But Bob shook his head.

"You're a vain creature, Molly. Love has come to you so often, it's grown a common thing. He was fumbling through his wallet."

"I've something to show you," she clipped it out of a magazine yesterday, because it made me think of you. I was sure I stuck it in here somewhere. Oh, here it is."

He held a torn piece of paper to her.

"Read it," he said, "it's prophetic."

She took it curiously, and read aloud:

"Love came to me so many times. It grew a common thing. I thought that it would always come."

With song-birds in the Spring;

And so I dreamed and wondered
What next year's love would
be,
Until one Spring there came no
bird
To any blossoming tree."

"It's pretty," she said, shivering delicately. "I suppose it's true too."

"Of course it's true," he told her. "Here's Rita now. Think over what I had to say, won't you? You might go further, you know, and fare worse. Suppose you married Flynn. Your children would have carrot-tops and freckles. Look at my daughter! Did you ever see anything prettier in your life?"

Rita was wearing a cashmere of lilac colour, sprinkled with pink roses and forget-me-nots. Her linen slippers were gay with embroidery, and her wide-brimmed hat was loaded with tiny flannel flowers. They fluttered from the ends of her sash, and were caught in a perky nosegay on her shoulder.

"Hello, mama! Hello daddy!" She kissed them impartially.

"Oh, daddy, I know some new words. Nancy's nurse told us. 'Fermes la bouche,' it means 'shut your mouth, daddy.'"

"I told her it was naughty to say that," declared Nurse Marie primly. "Nancy's nurse is a very common person, Miss Burnham. I shan't allow Rita to talk with her again."

"Oh, that's all right," declared Molly gravely. "It's time Rita got tough. Don't you adore her accent, Bob? I'll run along now, and not bother you. Be a good girl, Precious."

She stooped to kiss Rita, and Bob said again, "Think over what I had to say, won't you?"

"Fermes la bouche," she told him over Rita's head, and laughed because he seemed annoyed.

She went from the nursery to her bedroom, and threw herself on the chaise longue. Bob had threatened to take Rita away, if she did not do as he wished. He was stubborn enough to do it, too. Molly knew that he had been more successful lately. He could hire a capable woman to care for the child, and do the housework also. Rita did not need constant supervision any more. She was a healthy, intelligent child. As Molly frequently remarked, having her about was almost like having a grown person in the house. She was such a dependable little creature.

If marriage with Bob was unthinkable, so was life without Rita. Lots of people marry without love, and are happier than the romanticists. So many romances are failures. Expeditious marriages wear better, and last longer. Sensible people bring to matrimony the same sound reasoning with which they consider any other contract. Well, why not be practical? Molly sighed wearily.

"That's the trouble!" she mused. "I'm not practical. I'm romantic."

If only she could banish Jack from her mind! She had heard from him once, since he sailed for England with Mrs. Bulwer-Eaton. He had sent her a coloured postcard of Ponte Vecchio, where she had bought the Borgin ring. There was no message on it. Only his name. But she had told him about finding his ring there, in the old silver-smith's on the corner. And he had probably gone, seeking something for Mrs. Bulwer-Eaton. Something costly, to suit the woman's flamboyant tastes. Molly had torn up the postcard furiously. And then, unreasonably, she cried, and dropped the fragments in an envelope, and sealed it, and put it away.

She kept Jack's letters in a secret drawer of her desk. They were tied around with purple ribbon. Once, when she was younger, she had scented the pack with sweet lavender. The little book of Oscar Wilde's love verse he gave her was there, too. She bought another copy, because she could not bear to handle the one in which Jack had marked the passages he loved. Inside the cover she put the verse about love and a career, that she clipped from a newspaper the day of graduation. It was a long time now since she had opened the drawer where her one-time treasures lay. She felt that she could never stand to look at them again.

Red's letters cluttered her bureau drawers. They were witty and entertaining, and she hated to destroy them. She was always meaning to gather them together, and put them away somewhere, so she could laugh over them when she was old.

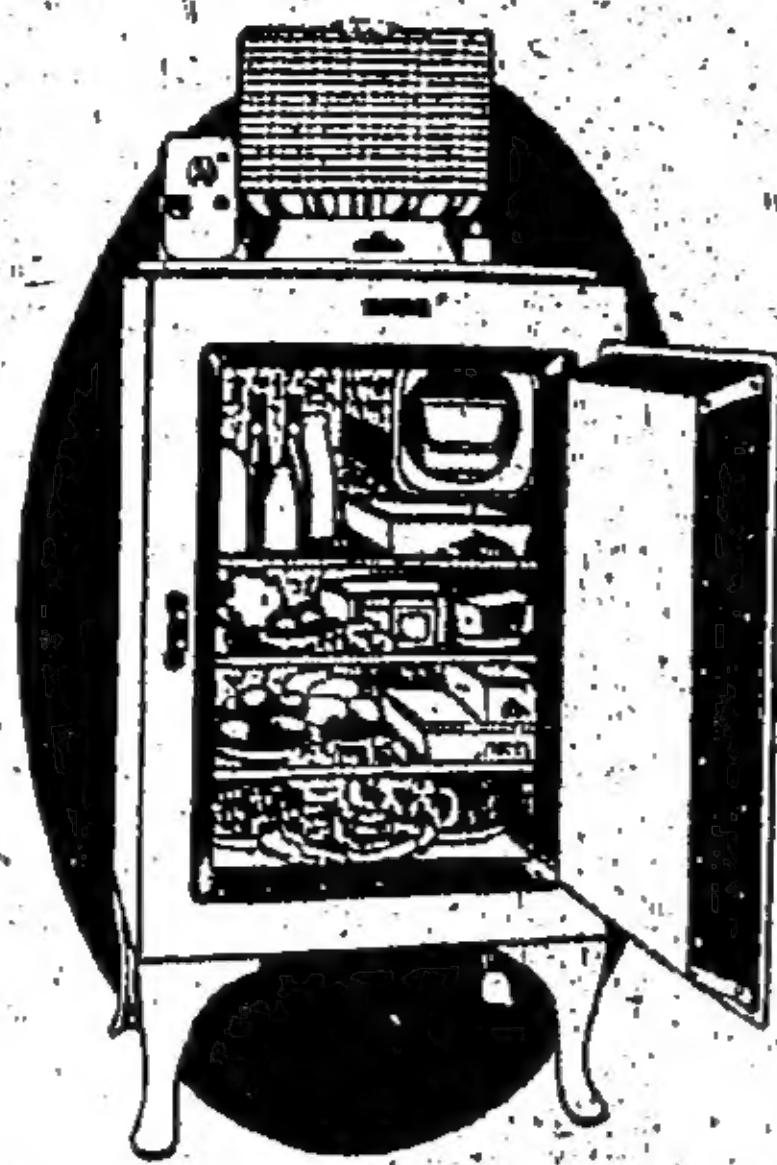
She wondered what Red would think of Bob's proposal. And she lay on her pretty chaise longue for a long time, meditating.

The trouble with me, she decided, "is I've been idle too long. I ought to be ashamed of myself! I'll get to work on that book—that's what I'll do!"

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and to heal.

It would be a difficult thing to write. Difficult, because it would be the baring of her own innermost existence. No longer should she keep silence to cloak her wounds. She would write her confession of failure, that all who would might read.

Fired with sudden determination, she began work with fervid enthusiasm. Until dawn, the keys of her little pink typewriter flew up and down beneath her fingers.

She would call her book "Annes of Desire." And her heroine should be named Lalun. When Molly was quite a small girl, she had two favourite names. One was Lalun. And the other was Jale. She intended, in those days, to have twins, and named them Lalun and Jale. Jale is a Turkish name, means Dewdrop. Molly never knew what Lalun meant, but it didn't make any difference. It was a beautiful name, and, since she was never to have twins now, she might as well use it somehow. It seemed

more appropriate for the heroine of a tragic novel than Jale, because tragic heroines seldom suggest dewdrops. Lalun had an intriguing sound that might mean almost anything.

She had a hard time getting the first chapter started. It was different than writing plays. All you had to think of for a play was action. Action and dialogue. But with a novel like "Annes of Desire" one must be whimsical. Tender. Profound. Molly went to her book shelves, to see how other authors did. There was George Moore's "Sister Teresa," which was, also, the study of a woman's life. Molly turned to the opening page:

"She was conscious of her indolence: within and without: there was a strange, lifeless calm, a strange inactivity in the air and in her mind. In the landscape and in her there seemed no before and no hereafter. But a glance inwardly revealed to her the ripple of some hidden anticipation moving under the sullen surface."

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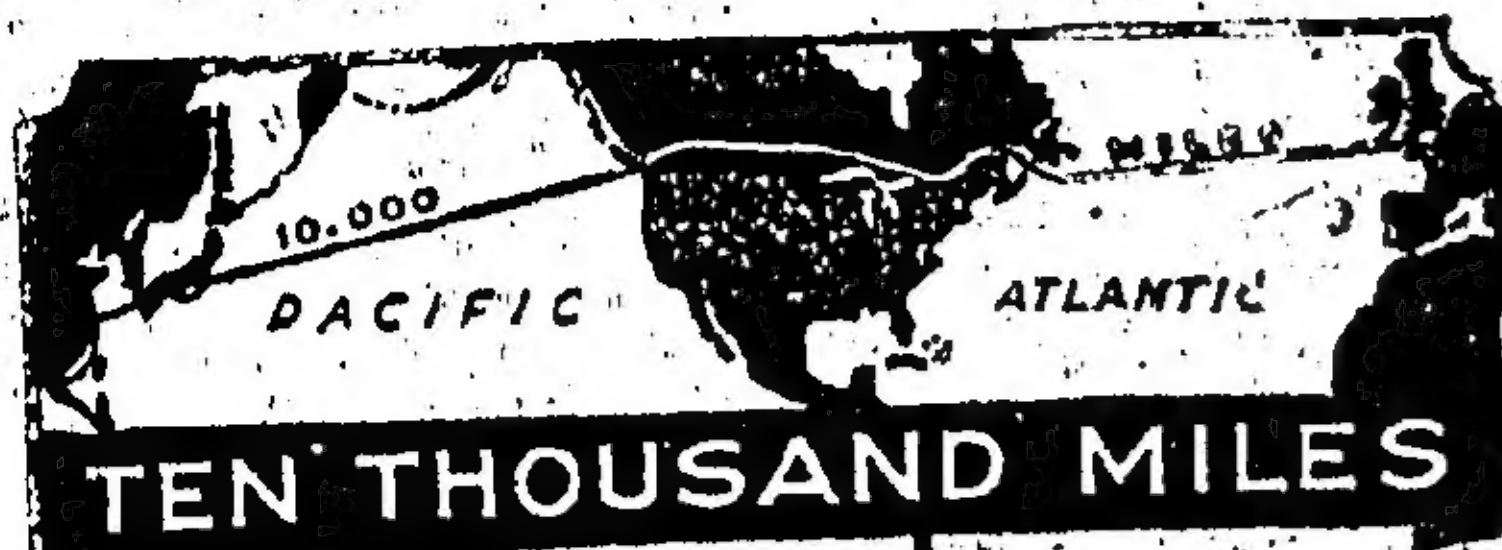
Molly loved introspective stuff. Lalun must be introspective. She wondered if it would be plagiarism, if she should begin, "Lalun was conscious of her own fatality; within and without her there was emptiness."

She considered a moment, and then began, swiftly, to type. Before she stopped, Lalun had become a living, breathing woman. A creature of fire and of promise. And, because she was beautiful, she was beloved, of course.

The man who loved her was six feet, one. He had dark hair and eyes to match. Laughing eyes. And a very strong, determined chin. His hair had a little wave in it, and his chin had a little wave in it. "Good heavens!" she thought, "I've described Jack Wells!"

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The total amount collected through this source has not yet been determined by the committee but the figure available yesterday showed an increase over that of last year, when the figure of \$5,500 was reached.

On the Island alone the figure yesterday amounted to \$3,833, while from Kowloon approximately \$2,000 was received by the committee as against a total of about \$1,400 last year. Excluding collections from Hongkong the mainland contributed \$1,935 towards the fund through the selling of poppies on the streets.

The results of the sale of poppies on Cheung Chau have not yet been received. When all the figures are available the total should reach \$6,000.

Hongkong Sellers.

The ladies who assisted in the sale of poppies in Hongkong included Mesdames Chubb, Brooks, Bloomfield, Simmons, Strellett, May, Sheldon and Cuthill.

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Alec, Sheldon and Norman Reynolds were also among the helpers.

Kowloon Arrangements.

Mrs. J. H. Hunt was in charge of the arrangements for Kowloon.

LETTER GOLF.

To-day's letter golf is a NEWS REEL, so it should be interesting.

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1.—The idea of letter golf is to change one word to another and do it in par, a given number of strokes. Thus to change COW to HEN, in three strokes, COW, HOW, HEW, HEN.

2.—You can change only one letter at a time.

3.—You must have a complete word, of common usage, for each jump. Slang words and abbreviations don't count.

4.—The order of letters cannot be changed.
One solution is printed on another page.

and was assisted by Mesdames G. Anderson, B. Brown, S. Thomson, W. Brace, Adams, Jefferies, Lloyd-Jones, C. Carruthers, J. Johnston, Kallman, R. Sneddon, M. Costello, F. Short, S. Pearce, J. Taylor, Wheeler, Tinson, Vallerino, Whitta, C. Grey, McCrae and C. Fraser.

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At Homunin, Mr. Osman had charge of the arrangements with the assistance of the Misses Marie Roza, G. Roza, Mr. Figueiredo and M. da Roza.

The sale of poppies at Cheung

POLITICAL MURDER.

EX-GOVERNOR SHOT IN THE ARGENTINE.

Buenos Aires, Nov. 11.

While addressing five thousand adherents at Mendoza, Doctor Carlos Lencinas, a political foe of President Irigoyen, was shot in the head and lung from behind. He was speedily taken to hospital, where he died.

The deceased's cousin, Raoul Lencinas, and the Chief of Police, were dangerously wounded in indiscriminate firing which followed.

Strong military measures have since been taken and numerous arrests have occurred, though only fifteen persons have been detained.

Carlos Lencinas had just returned from Buenos Aires, knowing that a warrant had been issued charging him with corruption and maladministration when he was Governor of Mendoza Province.

He was last year elected a Federal Senator by the anti-Irigoyen element. Disturbances followed his election, and the Senate refused to allow him to take his seat.

Reuter's American Service.

Chau was in the hands of Mrs. A. C. Franklin.

K.C.C. Auction Postponed.

The auction sale in aid of the Poppy Day fund, which is usually held at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Armistice night, had unavoidably to be postponed yesterday evening.

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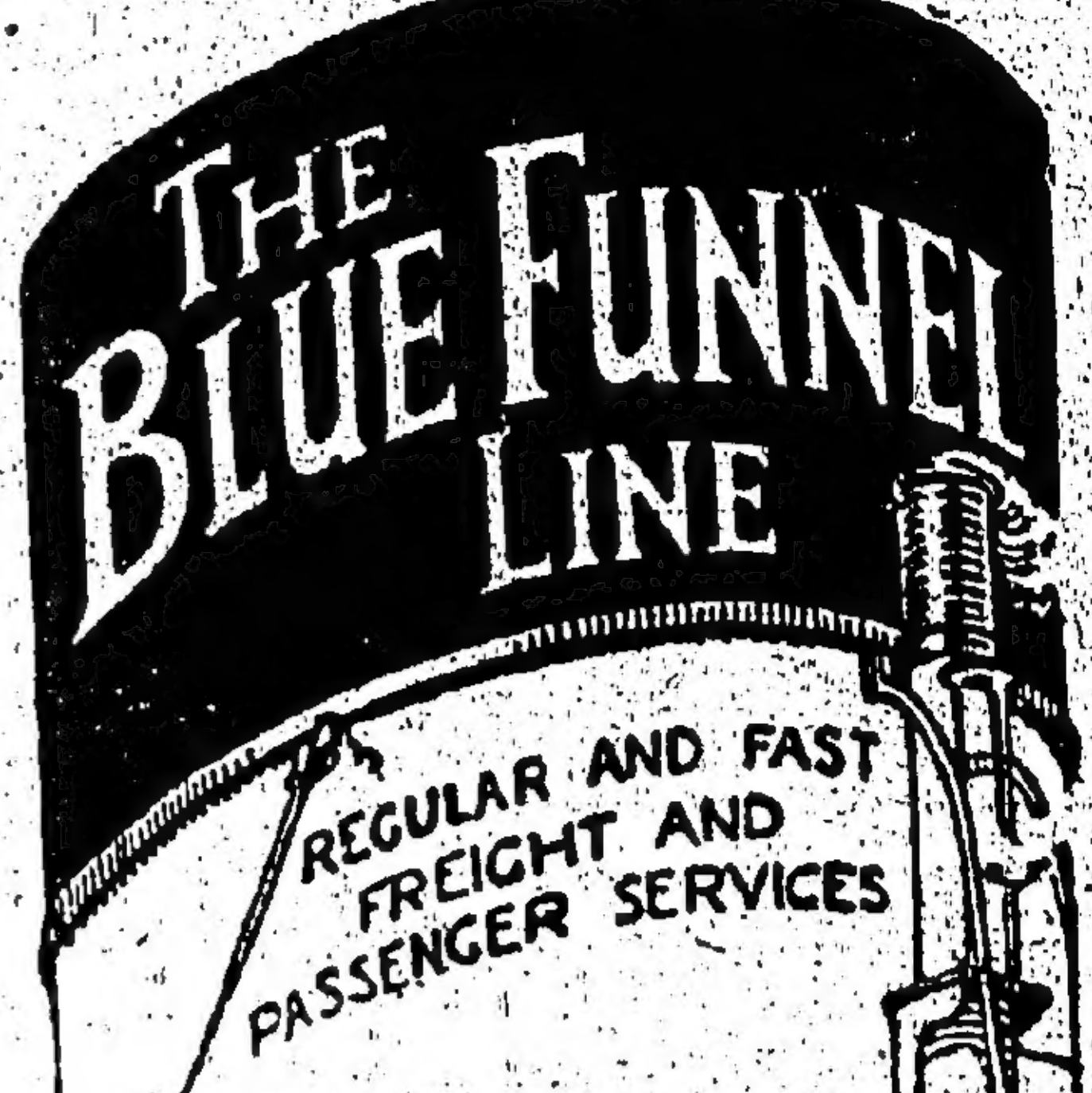
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ARMISTICE DAY IN LONDON.

THE KING SPENDS MORNING IN
OWN ROOMS.

V.C. HEROES' MARCH.

London, Nov. 11.
On the advice of his doctors, H. M. the King spent the morning in Buckingham Palace as a private individual. He observed the Two Minutes' Silence in his own rooms. It was his wish that his observance should be exactly the same as that of the ordinary man in his own home. Consequently, no official statement was issued from the Palace.

The Queen, accompanied by Princess Mary and the Duchess of York, was in the Home Office in Whitehall looking down on the Cenotaph and joining in the Armistice Service.

Scenes at the Cenotaph.

The march of holders of the Victoria Cross past the Cenotaph after the service was a most impressive feature.

Captain Sir Busercroft Towse, blinded hero of South Africa, was led to the Cenotaph and placed a cross of red poppies at the foot of it. Then he bowed in reverence and was led back to the ranks of heroes.

Admiral Jellicoe led the March Past amid the cheers of the multitude.

The band of V.C.s was a stirring little army. Men in silk-hats and frock coats marched beside men in rough clothes bought in mining villages, men shattered by wounds were wheeled by tall bronzed men from overseas, and blind men linked arms with their neighbours.

Service Broadcast.

The British Broadcasting Corporation's broadcast of the service at the Cenotaph was successfully relayed by beam telephony to Canada and rebroadcast by a chain of stations throughout the Dominion.

H. M. the King was absent from the Cenotaph service for the first time on an Armistice Day commemoration. His place was taken by the Prince of Wales.

The ceremony this year was notable for the predominance of the civilian over the military and naval element, and the presence of 320 winners of the Victoria Cross, who attended the Prince of Wales' dinner on November 9. They headed the procession of ex-Service men and ex-Service women from Wellington Barracks to the Cenotaph. The pavements facing the Cenotaph were crowded hours before the silence, though the weather was raw and misty, with a threat of rain. Everyone wore the Flanders poppy.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

SOCIETY DIVORCE SUIT.

JUDGE ON THE DANGERS
OF SECRECY.

London, Nov. 2.

The Marchioness Curzon's son, the Hon. Hubert Duggan, aged 23, who was married last year to Miss Joan Dunn, aged 19, yesterday obtained a divorce on the ground of adultery with Mr. Anthony Jenkinson. All the parties to the case are prominent members of Society.

Lord Merrivale characterised the conduct of the defendants as a social crime, and criticised the restriction placed on divorce publicity.

In the past, publicity had proved a deterrent to "misconduct."—*Straits Times.*

[The marriage took place on Tuesday, June 25, 1928, at St. George's, Hanover Square. The bridegroom was described as Mr. Herbert John Duggan, son of the late Mr. Alfred Duggan, and of the Marchioness Curzon of Kedleston, and the bride as Miss Joan Molesworth Dunn, third daughter of Sir James Dunn and Gertrude, Lady Dunn.]

NEW BLUE LAW IN MANILA.

STORES NOT TO OPEN ON
SUNDAYS.

Manila, Nov. 9.

The Sunday Blue Law yesterday was added to the statute books of the city government when Mayor Tomas Earnshaw signed an ordinance approved by the Municipal Board prohibiting the opening of dry goods stores on Sundays.

In the form in which it was approved by Mayor Earnshaw yesterday, it had undergone considerable change. It created much discussion in the Municipal Board and was debated in public hearings. Capitalists vigorously opposed the measure, while the labour elements of Manila were 100 per cent, for it.

LAOHOKOW FALLS TO REBELS.

KUOMINCHUN ATTACK
IN N. HUPEH.

CITY CAPTURED WITHOUT
SEVERE FIGHTING.

LUNGHAI SITUATION.

Shanghai, Nov. 12.

A somewhat sensational report to the effect that the Kuominchun attacked and captured Laohokow has reached Reuter's Hankow correspondent through foreign sources. The news reached Hankow late last night and has caused some apprehension since it is felt that the rebel success was due to the withdrawal of the Thirteenth Division, which has been thrown into the Lunghai fighting line.

Details of the Kuominchun occupation cannot be ascertained and it does not appear that the Nationalist forces offered much of a fight for the city, which is in Hupeh some twenty miles over the Honan border.

It is officially stated that the arrival of the Eighth and Thirteenth Divisions at Sincheng has considerably relieved the situation in Honan, and official confidence is expressed that the Kuominchun will soon be rooted out of Mihelen and Tengfeng.

The fiercest fighting is still going on and the Kuominchun have been inflicting tremendous casualties on the Nationalists. One body of the Kuominchun, however, was enveloped by a swift attack by the Nationalists recently from two directions, and a thousand prisoners were taken. These have arrived at Hankow and it is believed that they will be interned at Wuchang.

Further batches of the Fifth Division, which, as suspected, revolted at Sincheng, have also arrived at Hankow. The Division is now being reorganised under new officers.—*Reuter.*

Siege of Tengfeng.

Shanghai, Nov. 11.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, the Nanking Generalissimo, arrived at Changchow on Saturday evening after visiting and inspecting the fortifications at Hsuehchang. Yesterday morning he departed from Changchow for Yungyang and Kunghsien on the Lung-Hai Railway. Marshal Chiang announced at Changchow that he would take Tengfeng within three days.

Tengfeng, according to official Changchow information, is in a state of siege, with the main body of five thousand Kuominchun's best units under the command of General Sun Liang-sing, holding out against the onslaught of the Nanking forces.

Simultaneous attacks have been declared on Mihlien and Yuhshien. General Ho Cheng-chun is remaining at Yuhshien directing the Nanking forces, while General Tang Seng-chi is at Hsu Yee.

ARMISTICE DAY IN AMERICA.

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Nation's Tribute.

New York, Nov. 12.

The Two Minutes' Silence was observed throughout the United States, memorial services being held from coast to coast.

President Hoover paid the nation's tribute by laying a wreath on the tomb of the unknown soldier at Arlington Cemetery. A memorial service was held in the afternoon at the tomb of Woodrow Wilson in the National Cathedral.—*Reuter's American Service.*

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A NEW SOLICITOR ADMITTED.

EXPERIENCE IN UGANDA AND CANADA.

MR. ARTHUR COVEY.

Mr. Arthur Covey, of Messrs. G. K. Hall Brutton and Company was this morning admitted to the Supreme Court of Hongkong as a solicitor and proctor by the Chief Justice (Sir Henry Gollan) on the application of the Attorney General, the Hon. Sir Joseph Kemp, K.C.

In making the application, the Attorney General said that Mr. Covey had practiced in various parts of the Empire but in view of the fact that he had not recently practiced in England he had applied for exemptions from the requirements of the Legal Practitioners Ordinance, 1871. One exemption related to the certificate that Mr. Covey's name was still on the Rolls in England and the other related to the certificate of his fitness of character from two English solicitors. The Attorney General submitted that those requirements were sufficiently covered by two other documents filed in lieu. He also asked for exemption from the four months' notice which should be given to the Registrar as the Law Society had registered no objection.

His Lordship allowed the exemptions and granted the application. He wished Mr. Covey every success in his new venture.

Mr. Covey was admitted to act as a solicitor of the Supreme Court in England on November 17, 1894. In March, 1918, he was admitted to practise as a solicitor of His Majesty's High Court at Uganda. From January, 1922, until the latter part of November of that year, he resided at Prince Rupert, B.C. Canada, where he was employed by a firm of legal practitioners and later entered the employ of the Provincial Government of British Columbia. In December, 1922 he went to Shanghai and from January to June, 1923, he was employed in the Registry of His Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court at Shanghai, one of his positions being Acting Registrar. In December, 1923, he was admitted to practise in China as a solicitor and advocate.

THE BELGRADE HOTEL INCIDENT.

SERBIAN HUNGER-STRIKING
AGAINST SENTENCE.

Belgrade, Nov. 11.

M. Radolovitch, the Serbian merchant sportsman who was sentenced to a month's imprisonment for assaulting Colonel Cassana, the Italian Air Attache, after alleged insults and a blow by the latter in a fashionable Belgrade hotel, is hunger-striking in protest against what he considers to be a most unjust sentence.

The evidence all went to show that Cassana provoked the incident and that Radolovitch merely retaliated when the Italian struck him.

It is believed that Colonel Cassana will be recalled from Belgrade.—*Reuter.*

ALARMING TRAIN OUTRAGE.

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had to suspend the downward train from Shukwan to Canton.

A large number of workers are now engaged in repairing the damaged railway track. The fact that some ten yards of track were destroyed shows the determination and audacity of the perpetrators.

As Woo Shek is very near Shukwan Station, the trains from Canton to Shukwan left as usual this morning, but it is believed that the travellers going to Shukwan will have to stop at Woo Shek until the line is completely repaired.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT ON MUSSOLINI.

EMPHATIC DENIAL ISSUED
FROM ROME.

Rome, Nov. 11.

The story of the attack upon Signor Mussolini is emphatically denied.

The denial follows the publication in the London *Daily Chronicle* of a report from Nice which "reveals a well-kept secret regarding an alleged attempt to assassinate Mussolini, on October 10." The accounts of the details of the incident are somewhat conflicting. They come from Rome, Turin and Milan and agree that several bullets were fired and many arrests made.—*Reuter.*

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